

VOLUME LIII.

COOK'S PROOFS ARE SAID TO BE VERY INCOMPLETE

DID EXPLORER FAIL TO REACH THE NORTH POLE?

MAY WITHHOLD DECISION

Copenhagen Correspondent for the Associated Press Says He Learns This Is Decision of Investigating Committee.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Dec. 18.—The Associated Press is informed by a high authority that the investigating committee of the University of Copenhagen in its preliminary examination of Dr. Cook's records failed to discover any definite proof that the



FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF COOK'S ACCUSER.

August Loos, who says he faked the data to prove Cook reached the pole, explorer, reached the North Pole.

Secret Meetings.

It is known that there have been many secret meetings of the committee of the University and that one was held this morning when the preliminary report of the investigating committee was heard, which covered the first stage of the work of the committee.

Excited Discussion.

While nothing definite was given out by any of the conspirators to the public it is known that the session



GEORGE H. DUNKLE.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—George H. Dunkle, who says he assisted in framing up the data to prove that Dr. Frederick A. Cook discovered the north pole, is a Chicago man. He left here to go to New Orleans and later entered the insurance business in New York. Under oath he declared that he assisted Capt. August Loos, a navigator, in preparing the data to prove Cook's claims. His parents here in Chicago claim that he has no technical or scientific education and could not have been of any material assistance in preparing the alleged fake account of the trip to the north pole.

was a most exciting one. It was stated this afternoon that the committee had not completed its work and would have a more definite report to make in a few days.

Cause Comment.

The failure to receive a definite report of the investigation has caused the report to become current that the committee will make a report which will state that they desire more testimony and further proofs before reaching a decision.

Loos's Claim.

It is claimed by some authorities that the investigation committee have discovered the similarity claimed by Captain Loos, who alleges that he helped Cook prepare faked data to present to the committee and that this is the cause of the delay.

FORMER STEEL KING SWAYS WALL STREET

Henry C. Frick Astounds Financial Despoils By Great Coup In Reading Stock.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

New York, Dec. 18.—When Henry Clay Frick resigned the active management of the Carnegie Steel Company ten years ago it was reported that he was to retire from business and spend the remainder of his years in the enjoyment of his ample fortune. The report was far from correct, as events soon proved.

Tomorrow Mr. Frick will celebrate his sixtieth birthday and, so far as is known, he is still without any intention of getting out of active business. There are few busier men in New York today and fewer still who wield such a tremendous measure of influence in the world of finance.

A great deal had been printed about Mr. Frick's achievements, his marvelous success and his rise to great power when he came to New York in 1890, but it was not until some years later that Wall Street seemed to wake up to the fact that he was a dominant influence in the financial world.

It was just before his entry in the directorate of the Reading Railroad Company that Mr. Frick made his name more famous and showed that his power was second to none. Just about this time Wall Street was experiencing a punky feeling. There was a great bear movement on and the stock was tumbled principally against Reading. For three days the market was completely demoralized. About noon of the third day there came the first gleam of hope. Reading began to shoot upward on enormous transactions. After the stock had recovered all its previous losses Wall Street began to look around to find out who was the power behind the Reading throne. The news leaked out that it was Henry C. Frick, and that he had bought practically every voting share of the stock. By the coup in Reading the financier from Pittsburgh was credited with having increased his bank account some eight millions.

During the past few weeks Mr. Frick is understood to have added largely to his holdings of Reading Company common. His influence, it is said, is being exerted in favor of an increase in the Reading common stock dividend. He is also credited with some of the recent buying which has helped to advance the Pennsylvania group of stocks.

ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS SOCIETY'S MEETING

Michigan Organization Plans to Interest Medical Societies In Securing Favorable Laws.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 18.—The Michigan Anti-Tuberculosis Association held a well-attended meeting today. The association aims to bring about a thorough co-operation of the medical societies and other organizations in Michigan to enforce legislation bearing upon the tuberculosis problem and to secure new legislation.

TWO TRAINS WRECKED AND FIVE ARE DEAD

Both Chicago and Cleveland on the List for Serious Accidents.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Cleveland, O., Dec. 18.—Five persons are dead as the result of a collision between a Lake Shore passenger train and a switch-engine here today. Ten passengers were slightly injured.

Care Off Track.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—Train No. 52 on the Burlington road, known as the "Oriental Limited," was wrecked this morning at Western Springs, Ill., near Chicago. Three sleeping cars rolled down the embankment. No persons were killed but many were bruised and injured by broken glass. A few of the injured, however, are seriously hurt.

COMMEMORATE WORK OF A LATE JUSTICE

Members of Supreme Court Bar Association Hold Meeting This Afternoon.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

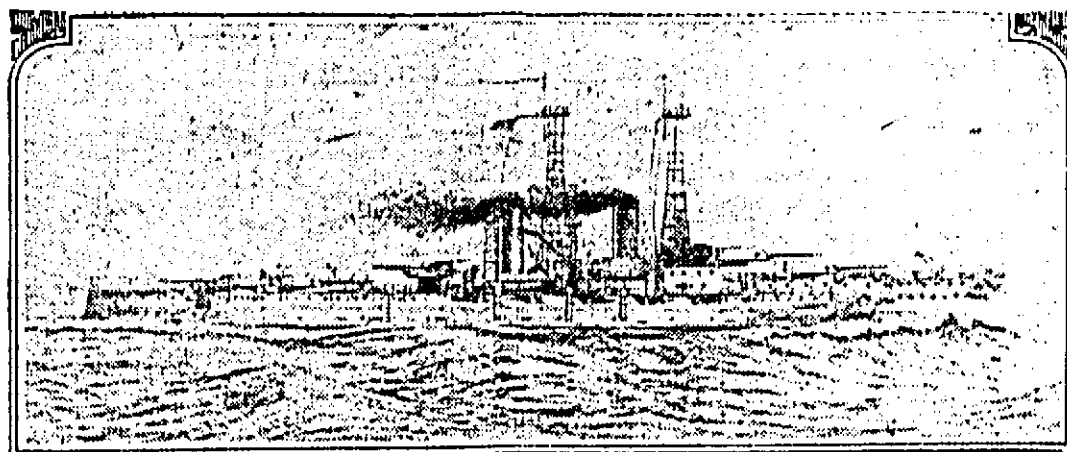
Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—With Judge Alton B. Parker of New York presiding and delivering the principal address of eulogy, the members of the bar of the supreme court of the United States today adopted resolutions commemorating the late Justice Peckham, associate justice of the supreme court. Judge Parker's address was upon the character and accomplishments of the late justice.

RAILROAD NOW HAS INNINGS IN SUIT

Secretary of War Dickinson Appears for the Illinois Central Railroad.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 18.—The Illinois Central side of the tax case was argued before the supreme court today. Secretary of War Dickinson made the chief argument for the railroad, denying all the allegations made in behalf of the state.



UNITED STATES NAVY WINS WORLD RECOGNITION.

The top picture is the new battleship Dakota, the lower one the Delaware, and the bottom picture is of Admiral Colby M. Chester.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

London, England, December 18.—All Europe is beginning to get up and take notice of the United States Navy. When the great battleship Delaware began her speed tests there was a whisper abroad that this warrior of the sea was a marvel. When the explosion occurred in England in the great newspapers of England and the continent. Then the nations began to talk about Dakota, the American Dreadnought, which has struck terror to the hearts of the British, who concede the Americans have built better than they. When Admiral Colby M. Chester, branded Dr. Cook a fakir, there was another thrill. The combined news events of the past few weeks have set the tongues wagging and interest just now is centered in the navy and the men who are doing things on the sea and on land.

SETTLED DISPUTE AS TO PRESIDENT

Thomas J. Lynch of Cincinnati Is Named—Ward's Name Dropped.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

New York, Dec. 18.—Thomas J. Lynch of Cincinnati was elected president of the national league this afternoon. Lynch was formerly chief of staff of the umpires of the league. John A. Heydler, former president, was elected secretary and treasurer of the organization. The elections of Lynch and Heydler were unanimous.



JOHN WARD.

and the eight magistrates adjourned to meet in February next.

Up to the election of Lynch it was expected that Johnny Ward, the former ball player who was with the Janesville Mutuals and worked in the Gazette office would be named. During all the voting Ward had four votes.

WALSH APPEALS TO THE SUPREME COURT

Convicted Chicago Banker Wants Writ of Certiorari Issued.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—John R. Walsh, the Chicago banker, today filed in the United States supreme court, a petition for a writ of certiorari. Walsh was recently convicted of fraudulent banking in the federal court of Illinois.

GENERAL BAUM DEAD.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 18.—Gen. Green Berry Baum, a former commissioner of pensions, is dead, aged eighty.

FIND GOOD REASONS TO CALL A SESSION

Important National Events That May Be Looked For During the Next Seven Days.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Madison, Wis., Dec. 18.—A tentative report at least will be laid before the governor in January by the senate members of the special legislative committee on water power. This was the declaration of Senators Reed, Hastings and Krumrey today. The members agreed to meet again in Madison on January 5th to prepare such a report. The assembly members, James Brecht, Bray, Krumrey and Thomas, may present another report or individual reports.

An important discovery which may prove a great determining factor as to whether or not the special session of the legislature shall be held, was made by the senate members of the committee yesterday. This is that the proposed amendment to the constitution authorizing the state to levy a tax of two per cent on all land on all taxable property in the state for acquiring forest lands and conservation of water power must be adopted by this legislature or it will entirely fail to the ground.

This amendment was adopted by the legislature of 1907 but the present legislature did not adopt it. After it went through the senate it was referred by the assembly to a special committee on water powers. It is now pointed out that if there is no special session amendment it will fail for want of second legislative approval and cannot be submitted to the people. This would be calamity as it might mean a stop to the state acquiring any more forest reserves. Hence they consider it important that a special session be held. It is estimated that such a tax would bring to this work between \$300,000 and \$400,000.

ALLEN'S CONDITION IS REALLY SERIOUS

Ex-Banker Is Under Care of Physician and Trained Nurse All the Time.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Madison, Wis., Dec. 18.—Under the care of a physician and with a trained nurse in constant attendance, Phil Allen, Jr., lies in bed in his cell at the Dane county jail, a very sick man. He spent a bad night, sleeping poorly and, as yesterday, in a state of nervous collapse. Dr. H. E. Purcell, the local government physician, made several visits to the ex-banker, giving him medicine and requiring careful regulations by the nurse in an effort to build up his shattered constitution. It was hoped the prisoner might be able to resume his testimony in the bankruptcy court on Monday, but this change has gone glimmering. Mrs. Allen came yesterday to be with her husband.

HEAD OF WOMAN'S MISSIONS DIES FROM HER INJURIES

Amsterdam, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Miss Grace Todd of Arcola, Ill., field secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, died today as the result of injuries sustained in an automobile collision with her carriage.

BROCKAW DIVORCE HAS SENSATIONS FOR THE PUBLIC

Husband and Wife Have Many Tiffs in the Court Room—\$2,500 a Month Alimony Asked.

New York, Dec. 18.—Ten thousand dollars for messages sent to his wife while in doubt of her affection! This was the testimony introduced in the sensational divorce suit in the supreme court at Minnola, L. I. Mrs. Brockaw asked for \$2,500 a month alimony and met every charge of infidelity brought by her husband with a counter charge that kept the jury wavering. "The Wages of a Rich Wife," as related by Mrs. Brockaw, ranged all the way from threatened gun play by the rich husband to absurd inconsequence of Henry, the footman. Mrs. Brockaw blushed only at the mention of one "Dumpty" Wells, a Baltimore society youth. Great bundles of telegrams were brought into court. The most pertinent and interesting of all was the one which ran as follows: "Darling—You know what I told you about kissing the doctor. If he tries to kiss you again tell him you promised to kiss no man but your husband. I put you on your honor. With 1,000 kisses and hugs from me."

"YOUR HUSBAND."

The other important telegram in the case related to an entertainment in which she was alleged to have entertained

PAPAL POWERS TO DENY THE REPORT OF RECOGNITION

Marriage of King Leopold to Baroness Vaughan Not Recognized.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Rome, Dec. 18.—It was officially stated today at the Vatican that the authorities there had had nothing to do with the morganatic marriage of King Leopold to the Baroness Vaughan.

Paris Idea.

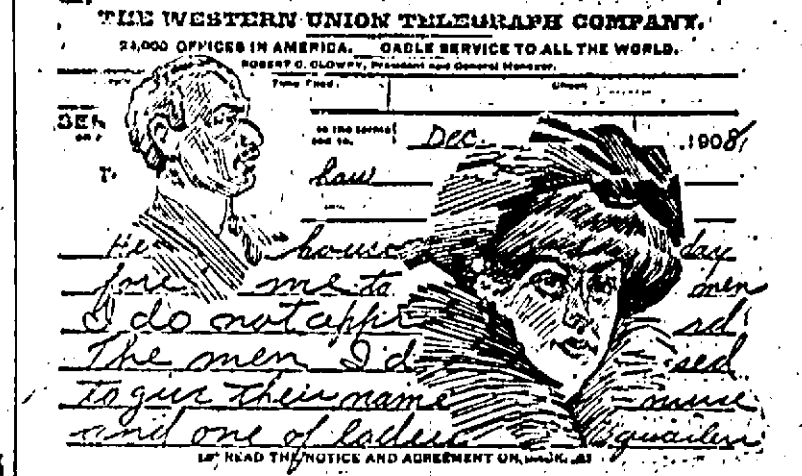
Paris, Dec. 18.—Authorities here laugh at the report that the Baroness Vaughan's sons by King Leopold have any claim upon the throne of Belgium. They state that even if the Pope had recognized the church marriage there had been no civil wedding ceremony which is required under the French and Belgian laws.

Albert in Charge.

Brussels, Dec. 18.—Prince Albert has taken charge of the Palace and arrangements for the funeral of the late King as his heir presumptive. The Baroness Vaughan has not left the country and is said to be in and out of the palace, using the private passageway. It is thought she will be requested to leave the country after the funeral.

Daughters Arrive.

It is said that the daughters of the late King will attempt to take part of the immense fortune left by their



TELEGRAMS TO WIFE COST \$10,000. At left, W. Gould Brockaw; at right, Mary Blair Brockaw.

NEW YORK'S MONSTER MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Cornerstone Laid For Most Costly and Impressive Edifice in the Metropolis.

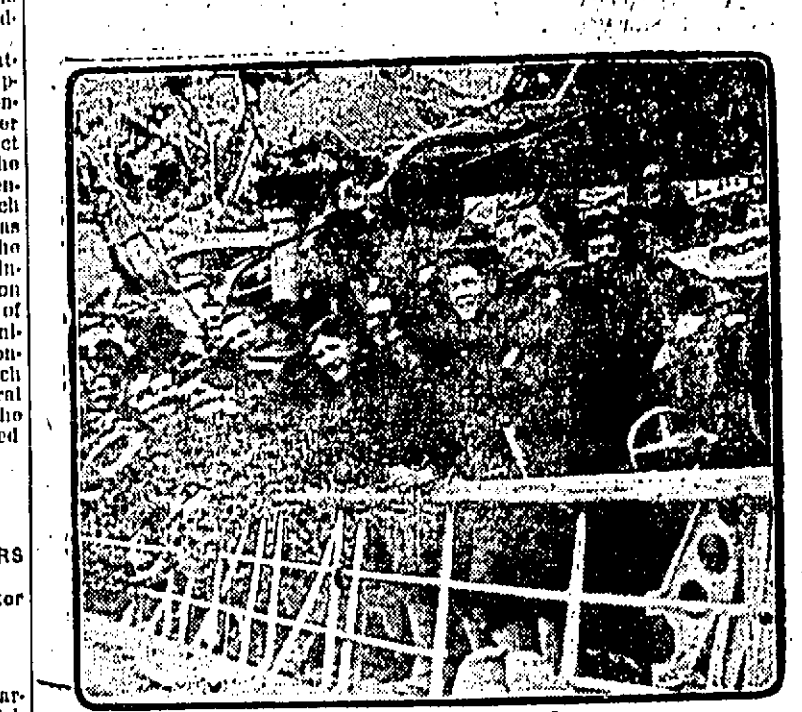
(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

New York, Dec. 18.—The work of constructing what will be one of the most costly and imposing edifices in the metropolis was formally inaugurated this afternoon, when Mayor McClellan, in the presence of a distinguished gathering of city officials and others, laid the cornerstone for the new municipal terminal building.

The building is to occupy the triangular block bounded by Centre St., Park Row and Nassau Street, at the Manhattan end of Brooklyn. The structure is to be 500 feet high and the main building will contain 25 stories. Municipal offices will occupy the greater part of the building. In the basement will be a terminal station for Brooklyn bridge trains and trolley cars in conjunction with a subway station. Chambers Street will run through the building, forming the only arched street in New York. The arch over Chambers Street will be three stories high. It is planned to complete the building within three years. The estimated cost of the foundation alone is \$1,500,000.

Marriage License: Application for a marriage license was filed today by Linford O. Dick and Eva Scott, both of Beloit.

AMERICAN MARINES ARE NEARING NICARAUGA NOW



UNITED STATES MARINES ABOARD THE TRANSPORT "DIXIE" ON THE WAY TO NICARAUGA.

New Castle, Del., Dec. 18.—Gain had expected to journey to Central America and were wild in anticipation of a clash with Zelaya's forces. Today the transport is steaming toward Nicaragua laden with the happiest band of boys in blue in the service of Uncle Sam.

Link and Pin

Chicago & North-Western.

TRAIN SCHEDULES ARE DEMORALIZED

Through Passenger Trains Are All the Way from 1 to 3 Hours Late—Freight Also Delayed.

Zero weather during the past few days combined with light snow that has drifted into the cuts, has made time tables about as useful and reliable as written instructions to a blind man. Both stations are sometimes packed for passengers waiting for their trains, patiently and impatiently; according to their disposition. Ticket agents are kept constantly busy answering telephone calls from impatient passengers who wish to know how the trains stand.

To add to the discomfort of the employees of the road, every baggage and express car is piled high with Christmas shipments and the transfer of these causes delays at nearly every station. Slippery rails, drifts, bad connections and engine failures add to their share nobly in wrecking the time tables.

Almost without exception, passenger trains on the St. Paul were between forty and fifty minutes late today. On the North-Western this was exceeded in many cases by those trains that make long runs. Number 507, due here at six in the morning, did not arrive until 10:30 on account of leaving Chicago about an hour late and stalling at Calumet Jet, nearly three hours. Train 514, due at 5:30 a. m., arrived at noon; 534 was two hours late; 505, 510, 511 and 512 were about three-quarters of an hour behind schedule. St. Paul found necessary to double-end train 507 out of Janesville this morning in order to make up time.

Engineer Wilke and Fireman Hackshaw made a fast run to Chicago yesterday morning with second 514. With a class D engine on a rather heavy train, they left Janesville at eight o'clock and arrived at the Wells Street depot at 10:25.

Engineer Dudley and Fireman Fleming went south on an extra at 3:30 yesterday afternoon with engine 1151 on account of pool crews resting.

Fireman Coon is on the six o'clock switch-engine today in place of W. M. Smith who is visiting in Chicago.

Fireman Dooley returned to work on the switch-engine last night with Engineer Townsend. Fireman Peterson, who has been relieving him, went on the switch-engine with Engineer Knutson in place of Fireman Ashley who is lying off on account of sickness in his family.

R. H. Erdman left this evening to spend Sunday with friends in Jefferson.

Fireman Mathison went south in the pool yesterday with Engineer Cotman.

Dispatcher-helper Harry Look is laying off today.

Storekeeper J. P. Mason left this evening to spend Sunday at his home in Milwaukee.

Fireman Dalton is relieving Fowler on the Deloit runs today.

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. Engineer Wilkinson and Fireman Rooney took out 145 this morning at five o'clock with engine 314.

Fireman Gentile is on the switch-engine today with Engineer Callahan.

Fireman Slain had Machine's place on 115 yesterday with Engineer Gregory.

Engineer Cornelius and Fireman Hummel took out 91 this morning at 11 o'clock.

Fireman Daetwiler was on the second switch-engine last night with Engineer Mond.

Engineer McCarthy and Fireman Seibert dead-ended on 101 yesterday afternoon, to bring in a train on the R. & W.

SPEAKER POSSESSES A BEAUTIFUL BIBLE

National Secretary of Gideon Band Wen Book by Memorizing Scriptural Verses.

W. E. Henderson of Chicago, National Secretary of the Gideon Band who speaks at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock to men, has the distinction of being the winner of Miss Helen Gould's prize to the one who memorized the most scriptural verses. The prize was a beautiful Bible which Mr. Henderson carries with him on all his journeys and which is a beautiful specimen of the bookmaker's art. He will have it with him at the meeting tomorrow afternoon to which all men of the city are cordially invited. In addition to Mr. Henderson's address there will be special music and the meeting promises to be enjoyable in every respect.

PUFFS

"You would be surprised if you knew how many marriage licenses have been issued during the past few months to young men of Janesville, Beloit, Edgerton, and other cities of the county who are going back to the farm," said County Clerk Howard Lee. "I do not attribute it to chance circumstances but am persuaded that a distinct movement in that direction has already set in. If you go into the country you will find whole neighborhoods that contain not a single person who was there twenty years ago. The old folks have moved westward, or southward, or into the cities and in many instances, of course, have crossed life's border line. But the boy is beginning to find out that he can't keep up on a \$50-a-month salary.

any. He gets along well enough for a while but first thing he knows he turns a little corner and meets a girl proposition face to face. That means ice cream sodas and sundae and candy and the theatre and carriages, when the weather is stormy, and sometimes when it isn't. It also means two or three suits of clothes a year and numerous other excess baggage, and suit will last a long time back on the farm. Conditions there, also, are changed for the better. The agriculturist no longer finds it necessary to get up before daylight and toil until the last hint of sunshine has vanished. More than likely he begins to get real busy about 7:00 a. m., takes an hour off for dinner at noon, and quits at five o'clock, with just as much accomplished as in the old 14 hour day. The house and barn are lighted by electricity, the daily papers are delivered at the door, and there's plenty of food and leisure and solid comfort and peace and security right in sight. What more ought anyone to ask or want?"

Had to Have Sugar. A BATTLE WITH FIRE HUNGER. And That In The Bowels of the Earth. Told Of By One Who, When Death's Hand Seemed About To Seize Him in His Cry Cries, Was By The Merest Chance Saved!

ANTHONY NOW TALKING

At one of the local five cent theatres this week the inevitable survivor of the Cherry Mine horror, clad in full tunnel regalia and jauntily sporting a lighted candle on his cap, took

onger listeners back into theinky inferno and rather glibly allowed them to realize the terrors of hopelessness, foul air, and gnawing hunger. The first one of the receding party to reach Mr. Anthony had, Oh heavens be praised, a quantity of coffee in his dinner pail. He who had tasted nothing more stimulating than cold-dump for three or four days lifted the precious tin to his lips and tasted! Zounds, Caramba, and Despair! It contained no sweetening! Never, in a long, eventful lifetime, had he failed to have a little sugar in his, and he sharply couldn't drink the stuff! . . . At the top of the shaft the woman greeted him. She was crying as if her heart would break. "What are you howling about—are you mad because I've come back?" he demanded roughly, chuckling to himself, meantime.

Chicken Roasted High. "Stung again, and this time on the jawbone, the little collection of chickens stowed away in a two by four hall up two flights of stairs!" In tones of deep disgust several members of the large Janesville party who journeyed down to Beloit, Thursday evening to see the poultry show expressed their opinions of the exhibition. "I've got a better chicken show in my back yard," said one. "Well, said another, 'Beloit is too busy becoming a great manufacturing metropolis to do much in the entertainment line.' "And the Janesville coops were the whole show, what there was of it," declared the whole party in chorus.

The advertisements will suggest what to give as gifts.

Ostrich Plumes at \$1.95 and \$2.95

A gift that would be appreciated by any lady—one of these elegant Plumes. The colors are black, white, pink, blue, champagne and brown. These are long handsome plumes and are brilliant and glossy. Special values at \$1.95 and \$2.95



Holiday Neckwear

Each piece in a separate box. Dainty styles in Jabots, 25c to \$2. Long Silk Scarfs, 50c to \$3.75. Collar and Cuff Sets, 25c and 50c.

Silk Waists at \$5

Arranged on a special table. Silk Waists from lines that were up to \$8.75, now on sale at \$5.00.

Silk Petticoats at \$5

This refers to a complete range of colors and black, in the guaranteed "S. H. & M." Petticoat.

Gloves

A pair of Kid Gloves in a special box, \$1.00 to \$3.50. (Exchangeable after Christmas if size is not right.)

Pretty Handkerchiefs

New ones for Monday in Shamrock linen and Armenian, at 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c. Children's Handkerchiefs, 3 in a box, 10c, 15c and 25c per box.

Fancy Hosiery

Novelties in lace and silk with special values at 35c, 50c, 75c for lace, \$1.25 to \$2.50 for silk.

Silk Kimonos

A number of styles in handsome Oriental designs, excellent garments at the price, \$5.00.

Muslin Undergarments

Make practical holiday gifts. Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers and Chemises.

Belts, Bags and Combs

There are many items in these lines put up in individual boxes for gifts.

Furs

This weather suggests the gift of Furs. Separate Muffs and Sets in all popular styles.

The Garment Lines

Possibly you may have an idea of a Suit, Separate Coat or Skirt and if so will make price inducements that will interest.

Simpson's
GARMENT STORE

What's in a Name? The Westminster Gazette publishes "A Vesper Song of Spring, from the German of Irene Forbes Morse." This seems to be going a long way around after a German song.

A Word of Wisdom. People are always happier for having been happy; if you make them happy now you make them happy 20 years hence by the memory of it.—Sidney Smith.

SEE HOUSE'S Great Display of FINE CANDIES For Christmas

OUR candies are of the better grade throughout, and for these qualities our prices are exceptionally moderate.

Mixed Cream Candies and Gum Drops, lb. 10c
Fine grade of Cream Mixed Candy, lb. 20c
Picture Mixed, crystal cut, lb 13c, 2 lbs. 25c
Caramels, Belmonts, Opera Creams, Chocolate Dipped Fruits and Nuts, lb. 40c to 60c
Broken Mixed Taffies, lb. 10c
Cream Taffies in five flavors, lb. 20c
Chocolate Drops, lb. 30c
Chocolate Wafers, lb. 30c
Nut Cream Wafers, lb. 30c
Chocolate Caramels, lb. 30c
Fancy Stick Candies, lb. 25c
Reception Straws, lb. 50c
Cracker Jack and Pop Corn Balls.
Candy Canes 1c to 50c
BOXED GOODS IN HOLIDAY BOXES 25c to \$7
Special prices to churches, factories, schools, on quantities.

J. E. HOUSE CONFECTIONER

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Signet Goods

In Scarf Pins, Sleeve Buttons, Rings, Small Brooches and Lockets.

With initial, monogram or lodge emblem. The demand for these goods is greater than ever before.

We have them in stock.

HALL & SAYLES
"THE RELIABLE JEWELERS"

Jewel Cases

— IN —

Leather, Brass, Silver and Gold Plate, with colored silk linings

75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$8.00

HALL & SAYLES
"THE RELIABLE JEWELERS"

Toilet Sets

— IN —

Sterling Silver and Silver Plate. The kind that we warrant because they are made so well and the quality so good. Small pieces to match always in stock.

HALL & SAYLES
"THE RELIABLE JEWELERS"

Sheffield Plate

Two packages just received, for Xmas and Wedding Gifts.

"H & S"
Quality
for
Durability.

Hall & Sayles
"The Reliable Jewelers"

LOOK
FOR THE
RED
SEAL.

CIGARS FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS

There is nothing that pleases a man more than to receive a nice box of cigars as a Holiday Gift. In view of the tremendous demand for cigars packed 25 in a box, we have prepared a number of our regular brands in this special holiday packing.

RETAIL BOX PRICE

50c A BOX La Belle Vera (12 cigars) (Domestic)	\$1.25 A BOX Black & White, Perfectos Black & White, Bouquets (Domestic)
65c A BOX N. C. S. Resagos (Domestic)	Earl of Pawtucket, Invincible (Domestic)
75c A BOX Pride of Cuba (12 cigars) (Seed & Havana)	Cuba Roma, Panetelas (Clear Havana)
85c A BOX Yankee Consul, Juniors (Domestic)	\$1.45 A BOX Yankee Consul, Perfecto (Domestic)
90c A BOX Adad, Perfectos (Domestic)	Stirling Castle, Regal (Clear Havana)
95c A BOX Brown Tips, Panetelas (Domestic)	\$1.50 A BOX Rosa Vista, Panet. Extra (Porto Rican)
\$1.00 A BOX Flashlight, Perfectos (Domestic)	\$1.75 A BOX Grand Duke (Domestic)
College Days, Perfectos College Days, Club House (Domestic)	\$1.90 A BOX Royal Sovereign, Panetela (Clear Havana)
Dum Dum (Domestic)	Lord Carver, Conchas Lord Carver, Panetelas (Domestic)
Reliance (Domestic)	\$2.00 A BOX Lady Curzon, Invincible (Domestic)
Morrison's Cabinet (Domestic)	El Solano, Conchas (Clear Havana)
Tamboril (12 cigars) (Clear Havana)	

OFFICIAL SEAL, Perfectos (Domestic)—(This Week-End Special, packed 1-40, will be sold during the week at \$1.75 a box and on Saturday and Sunday at \$1.25)

Pipes and Smoker's Articles

Here you will find a most complete Pipe stock, well displayed with the prices marked in plain figures—a great convenience when shopping. Every pipe we sell bears a written guarantee from the maker.

Genuine Meerschaum Pipes	\$2.50 to \$7.00
Briar Pipes	25c to \$4.00
Cigar Jars	50c to \$3.00
Smokers' Sets	\$1.00 to \$3.00
Ash Trays and Match Holder Sets	
Cigar Cases	35c to \$3.50

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RELIABLE AND CLEAN GROCERIES. Your Xmas Dinner Supplies our special aim. We want every good housekeeper to try from following list, at reasonable prices.

NECTAR CANNED GOODS have that harvest flavor. Just try these and see. Yellow or Green String Beans 15c Sweet Corn, 15c; Garden Peas, 15c; Succotash, 15c; Whole Tomatoes, 15c; Lima Beans, 15c; New Nectar Golden Pumpkin, 13c is the best of all for pie; Colby Cream Cheese with it. Try it!	3 for 25c; Jello, 3 for 25c; Fine Malaga Grapes, a lb. 25c. Candied Pineapple.
TEA AND COFFEE. Quality no where equalled at our prices. Royal Green Tea, a lb. 50c. Oolong Tea, a lb. 50c. Royal Garden Coffee, a lb. 35c. San Mateo Coffee, a lb. 25c. Sure and give us a pound trial. Let us convince you.	OLIVES, PICKLES, ETC. Pimento Stuffed Olives at 13c, 15c and 30c size bottles. Plain Olives, 10c and 25c size bottles. Sweet or Sour Gherkins, 10c a bottle. German Dill Pickles, a doz. 10c. Heinz's Spiced Pickles, a doz. 10c. Heinz's Sweet Pickles, a doz. 10c. Heinz's Catsup, 15c and 25c sizes. Special Catsup, 10c, 3 for 25c.
NICE FOR SIDE DISHES: Gold Medal Stuffed Peas, 18c; Carnival Peas, 15c; Juneau Brand Peas or Corn, 12c; Asparagus Tips, 25c; Imp. Mushrooms, 30c can. 3 Cans Sauk City Corn for 25c 3 Cans June Peas for 25c 3 Cans Homing for 25c. Extra value given in last three articles. Try Colby Cream Cheese. NUTS AND NUT MEATS. Fine Mixed Nuts, all new, a lb. 15c; Fancy Walnuts, a lb. 20c; Almonds, a lb. 20c; Brazil, a lb. 15c; Filberts, a lb. 15c; Pecans, a lb. 15c; Hickory Nuts, 3 qts. for 25c. Nice Fresh Nut Meats, All Kinds. JELLO & GELATINE, ETC. Cox's Gelatine, 18c; Plymouth Rock, 15c; Knox's Gelatine, 15c; Dr. Price's Jelly Dessert, 10c or	MISCELLANEOUS. Citron, Orange or Lemon Pail lb. 20c; Raisins 10c or 3 pkgs. for 25c; Currants, 12c; Dates 10c or 3 lbs. for 25c; Figs, lb. 15c. Red, Blue or Yellow Sugar lb. 20c; Xmas Cookies, heart shapes, lb. 20c. Popcorn that pops, lb. 5c, 6 lbs. for 25c. Dandy Sweet Potatoes, 6 lbs. for 25c. Try Colby Cream Cheese.

Fine Xmas Trees, Holly and Wreath. Every one has certainly fine, well barbed, and sells at 12c lb. Plenty Xmas Candles. APPLES, ORANGES, BANANAS, CELERY AND LETTUCE. Pure Gold Flour, \$1.05. Small Breads, 85c. The flour that never disappoints. Sole Agents for Big Joe Flour, Jersey Lily Flour, Lenox Oil, 15c; no smoke, no smell. Liberty Bell Flour sells at \$1.45.

For Parties

THE PERFECT

Ices
Ice Creams
Frozen Desserts

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Shurtleff's

We make anything in frozen desserts.

BOTH PHONES

Uncle Walt

THE POET PHILOSOPHER
By WALT MASON

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A hundred thousand whirling wheels will go to Jefferson or the Smoke! The horny-handed toilers feed all these figures are a joke. A hundred thousand clammy palms reward these brawny fighters who stand around in shoes and trousers, and sweat each other in the slats! A hundred thousand golden houses! Who would not join the fighters' camp? No wonder that the poet moans, and tries to change a postage stamp; no wonder that the teacher sighs, and jabs the whingles with his stick, as he regards, with streaming eyes, his

seven sisters, a week. The parson, who must preach of bliss, is looking sorrowful and grave; while money's rolling round like this, he can't afford to buy a shave. The gifted thinker, in his lair, is writing miles of prose and song; his wife will have to cut his hair, when it becomes too all-fired long. A hundred thousand glowing buxoms, for sundry rounds of blow and big! No wonder that the cultured ducks with agony are frozen stiff!

PRETTY WEDDING IN THE SWISS VILLAGE

Miss Barbara Christen Married to Henry Duerst in New Glarus

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
New Glarus, Dec. 18.—On Thursday afternoon occurred the wedding of Miss Barbara Christen to Henry Duerst. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Christen, a young lady who has always been popular among a large circle of acquaintances. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Duerst, and is well liked by those who know him. A reception was held at the New Glarus hotel, where a large crowd assembled. The young couple will be residing on the groom's home-land.

Miss Martha Zurbashen of Verona was an over-Sunday guest with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Figt.

Ernest Mueller, who was injured in a runaway, is able to be out again. Mrs. P. J. Altmann of Monticello was visiting with her mother here on Monday.

Albert Schlieter transacted business at Madison on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Urban and Mrs. B. J. Luchinsinger of Monticello enjoyed a sleigh-ride to this place on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. E. Soliman was a Monroe visitor on Wednesday last.

Quite a number of people from here attended the Swiss wrestling match at Monticello on Thursday.

The Misses Hesse of Monroe are visiting with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kunder, as they were retiring for the day on Wednesday, were surprised by their relatives. A most pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ott were Monroe visitors Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Grace Luchinsinger went to Madison on Thursday, where she will do the housework for Dr. and Mrs. Jackson.

The train was somewhat late yesterday. The time done was 1:30, but it arrived at 6 o'clock last night. The delay was caused by the engine losing steam.

RESCUE TRAIN BUMPED INTO A TRAIN STUCK IN A DRIFT

Albany Train Beleaguered Near Brodhead Yesterday Hit by Train Sent to Assistance.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Brodhead, Dec. 18.—The Albany train got stuck in a snow drift about two miles out from town Friday afternoon and in going out to assist in getting it out, an extra ran into the rear end. But little damage was done, how-

ever and no one was injured. A sleighing party consisting of about fifteen boys and girls of the high school took a sleigh ride Friday evening and later had an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Seales.

W. D. Bridge of Ludington, Mich., has been in town for a day or two past on a business trip.

Mrs. Thos. Richmond and son, Arthur, went to Janesville on Friday where Mrs. Richmond went to consult Dr. Nuzum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stephens, Mrs. Ida Myers and Herbert Towne were all passengers to Janesville and Rockford on Friday.

The Ladies' Guild of the Presbyterian church will give their annual chicken pie dinner and fair in Broughton's annex today.

Fifteen degrees below zero in Brodhead this morning.

The city schools close next Wednesday for a holiday vacation. Several of the grades will have Christmas exercises and all are invited to attend.

Little Miss Thelma Ames gave a party to a number of her little friends last evening from seven till eight-thirty, the time being spent in merry games and tawling marshmallows.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKETS.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Chicago, Dec. 18.

Cattle receipts, 1,500. Market, steady. Heaves, 3.80@4.30. Texas steers, 3.80@4.70. Western steers, 4.00@6.50. Stockers and feeders, 3.10@5.10. Cows and heifers, 2.00@5.40. Calves, 7.00@9.75.

Hog receipts, 17,000. Market, steady. Light, 8.05@8.50. Mixed, 8.25@8.42 1/2. Heavy, 8.30@8.70. Rough, 8.25@8.45. Good to choice heavy, 8.45@8.70. Pigs, 7.00@8.00. Bulk of sales, 8.35@8.40.

Sheep receipts, 3,000. Market, steady. Native, 3.50@5.00. Western, 3.75@5.65. Yearlings, 6.35@7.50. Lambs, 5.75@8.00. Western lambs, 5.75@8.00.

Wheat. Dec.—Opening, 1.16 1/2; high, 1.19; low, 1.15 1/2; closing, 1.19. May—Opening, 1.12 1/2; high, 1.14 1/2; low, 1.12; closing, 1.12 1/2 bid.

Rye. Closing—77. Dec.—76. May—79 @ 80.

Barley. Closing—53 @ 70. Corn. May—65 1/2 @ 75. July—65 1/2. Dec.—61 1/2.

Oats. May—44 1/2. July—42 1/2. Dec.—43 1/2.

Poultry
Turkeys—17. Springers—11 1/2. Chickens—11 1/2. Butter. Creamery—27 @ 31. Dairy—25 @ 30. Eggs. Eggs—26 1/2 @ 30 1/2.
Chicago, Dec. 17.
CATTLE—Good to prime steers, \$7.00@7.50; fair to good steers, \$6.00@7.00; common to fair heaves, \$5.00@6.00; range steers \$4.00@5.00; good to fancy yearlings, \$4.50@5.50; inferior killers, \$3.75@5.00; medium to good beef cows, \$3.00@4.50; common to good cutters, \$2.50@3.50; inferior to good canners, \$2.00@2.50; good to choice heifers, \$5.00@6.00; common to fair heifers, \$4.00@5.00; butcher bulls, \$3.50@5.00; good to choice calves, \$7.25@9.75; medium calves, \$5.00@7.50; calves, \$4.50@7.75.
HOGS—Good to prime heavy, \$8.00@8.70; good to choice light, \$7.25@8.50; common to fair light grades, \$6.00@8.00; mixed weight, \$5.00@8.50; medium weight mixed, \$4.25@5.50; rough packing, \$3.75@5.00; pigs, \$3.25@5.00.
PORK—Good to prime, \$10.00@11.00; fair to good, \$9.00@10.00; common to fair, \$8.00@9.00; city lard, \$10.00@11.00; country lard, \$9.00@10.00; tallow, \$7.00@8.00.
BUTTER—Creamery, \$27.00@31.00; dairy, \$25.00@30.00.
EGGS—Fresh, \$26.00@30.00; fresh, \$26.00@30.00.

THE JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Dec. 14, 1900.

Feed.
Ear corn—\$12 @ \$12.50.
Feed corn and oats—\$25 @ \$26.
Standard middlings—\$25 @ \$26.
Oil meal—\$1.30 per 100 lbs.
Oats, Hay, Straw.
Oats—40 @ 42.
Hay—\$11 @ \$12 ton.
Straw—\$3 ton.
Rye and Barley.
Rye—73c for 60 lbs.

Barley—55 @ 60c bu.
Elgin Butter.
Elgin, Ill., Dec. 14.—Butter, 34c; sales for week, \$29,300 lbs.
Butter and Eggs.
Creamery butter—34 1/2c.
Creamery butter—33 1/2c.
Fresh butter—30c.
Eggs, fresh—27c @ 28c.
Vegetables.
New potatoes—35c @ 42c bu.
Cabbages—35c @ 40c doz.
Apples—\$4.00 @ \$5.50 per bbl.
Poultry Market.
Live fowls are quoted at the local market as follows:
Old chickens—3c @ 5c.
Springers—10c.
Turkeys—17c alive.
Hogs.
Hogs—Different grades, \$6.50 @ \$2.80.
Steers and Cows.
Steers and cows—\$3.50 @ \$5.00.

The Majesty of the Law.
"Pa, what's the majesty of the law?"
"A country justice of the peace who sits in a chicken-stealing case and thinks the nation are watching him."

Proofs of Olympia's Great Age.
Excavation carried out in the sacred precincts of Olympia, Greece, near the great altar of Zeus, have resulted in the discovery of interesting remains of the neolithic period, including house vessels and implements. Thus it is believed to be evident that Olympia was a place of human habitation more than 3,000 years before Christ.

..THE ART STORE..

Pictures Fitted For Christmas Gifts Marked at Low Prices

The important place occupied by the Picture was well designed by John Ruskin when he said "A home without good pictures is like a house without windows." The past two weeks of heavy selling demonstrates that our offering of select subjects is meeting with great public favor. Selections should be made while the assortments are most complete.

Very Special Values Featured For the Christmas Trade

The framing of pictures is given expert attention. Those desiring pictures framed in the best taste can make correct selections from our extensive new lines of picture frames and picture mouldings.

DIEHLS

Timely Xmas Suggestions

Useful, Practical Gifts for Men, Women and Children

Ladies black pettecoats, made in many pretty styles, at 89c to \$3.00 each.

Ladies elastic belts, newest ideas, black, white, brown, green or navy, at 25c and 50c.

Ladies hose supporters, all colors, at 25c a pair.

Ladies house dresses, neat patterns, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Facecloths and handkerchiefs, at 25c to \$1.00 each.

Cashmere gloves, warmly lined black, gray or navy, at 25c and 50c.

Ladies handkerchiefs, fine mouse assortment, at 5c to 35c each.

Ladies handbags, large size, at 25c to \$1.25.

Slide combs and back combs, at 10c, 15c and 25c.

Linen towels, fringed or hem-stitched, at 25c and 50c each.

Men's dress shirts, without collars, pleated front, attached cuffs, at \$1.00 each.

Men's wool shirts, attached collars, all colors, at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 each.

Men's trousers, medium or dark pattern, at \$1.50, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00 a pair.

Suitcases, all kinds, at \$1.00 to \$5.00 each.

Men's half hose, cotton or worsted, plain or fancy, at 10c, to 50c a pair.

Outing flannel night gowns, at 50c, 75c and 90c.

Musliners in boxes, at 50c.

Musliners silk or wool, at 50c to \$1.25.

Wool yarn gloves, plain or fancy, at 25c and 50c.

Boy's sweater coats, at 50c to \$1.00.

Children's stocking caps, at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Children's leather or yarn mittens, at 50c, 75c, 25c, 15c and 10c.

Boy's fancy caps "Bulldog" shape, fur-lined earflaps, at 50c.

Boy's duck coats, black or brown, at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Men's corduroy or duck coats, sheepskin or blanket lined, \$8.75 to \$1.50 each.

HALL & HUEBEL

Xmas Sweets

Here are a few of our Wholesome, Home-made Specials

10c a lb.

WHITE OR MOLASSES TAFFY.
PEANUT BRITTLE AND PEANUT TAFFY.
COCONUT TAFFY.

20c a lb.

WALNUT TAFFY
CHOCOLATE NUGGETS
CHOCOLATE PEANUTS
CHOCOLATE PEANUT FUDGE
CREAM NUT, MAPLE AND VANILLA KISSES.

ASSORTED CHOCOLATES—Our own home-made bitter-sweet Chocolates 30c a lb.

JOHNSTON'S famous Chocolates, fresh and new... 50c a lb.
Beautiful Boxes and Baskets for Holiday Gift Candles.

JANESVILLE CANDY KITCHEN
Zanias & Vlachos 307 W. Milwaukee St.

Helpful Hints for Gift Givers

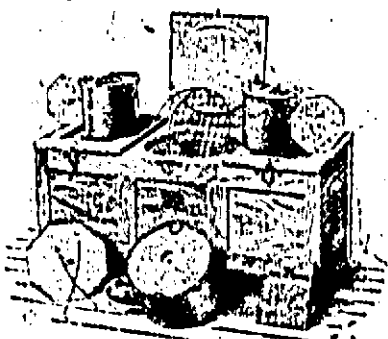
There's a Christmassy feeling in the air. "Many and many a list is being surreptitiously made out,"—and big brains and little brains are being racked for an answer to those old problems—"What? and How Much?"

Let our name head your Christmas shopping list. In your Christmas shopping you are apt to overlook the hardware store associating it with nails and other heavy unsightly ware, but don't do it this year. Here you will find a veritable storehouse of highly desirable gifts. This store is literally full of most beautiful and appropriate gifts for men, women and children. A glance at our window displays will quickly dispel any doubt on your part as to the appropriateness of our gifts. You will have pleasure in seeing these gifts and many others in our large display of beautiful and useful gift articles.

Here is a substantial addition to your list and we believe a welcome one, for who could help giving a warm welcome to any of the following excellent gift things.

"CALORIC" COOKERS Make Very Acceptable Gifts

They save fuel, save money, save time, save work, save worry, save doctor's bills



NO. 3—EQUIPMENT.

Equipment: One 8-quart and two 4-quart all solid aluminum utensils, with our patented bar-lock covers; four stainless radiators; one pair of tongs for handling hot radiators and utensils; one rack to suspend radiator; one basket for baking; one cook book.

Save fuel: Because the fuel necessary to properly heat them is a small percentage of that required where a continuous heat is used as in the ordinary stove.

Save money: Because it reduces fuel consumption tremendously—in many instances as high as 90 per cent—sufficient as a matter of fact to pay for the cost of a "Caloric" in a very short time.

Save time: Because as soon as the food is placed in the "Caloric" the housewife or cook may devote herself to her other duties.

Save work, worry and trouble: Because while clearing up the breakfast dishes, the next meal may be prepared, placed in the "Caloric" where the cooking process will continue without further thought, time, worry or trouble on the part of the cook.

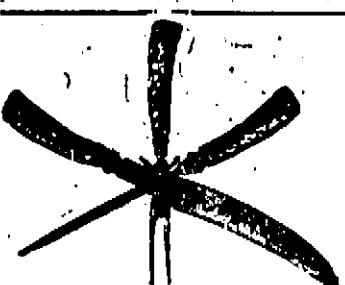
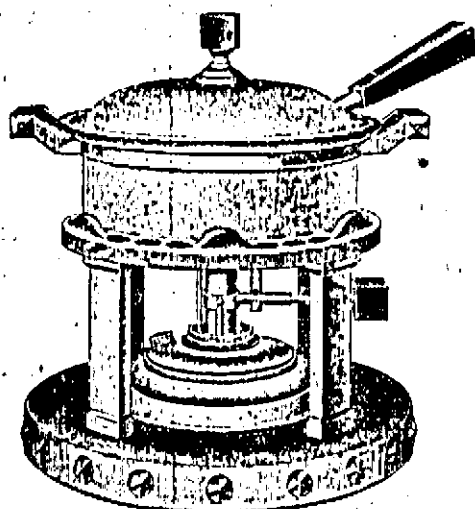
Save doctor bills: Because the food is cooked hygienically—is more healthful—thereby preventing indigestion and doctors bills.

"Caloric" Cookers range in price from \$7.50 upwards.

Our new chafing dish outfits have been selected as the best and most reliable utensils of this kind we are able to secure.

The food pan to these dishes is of copper, tin lined, or "Ivory" enameled. The lamp is a powerful heater that can be regulated at will. Always ready. No worry about fires. Light a match and in a few minutes the chafing dish has produced a dainty morsel to regale your guests.

Our line of chafing dishes range in price from \$4.50 upwards. Outfit like illustration \$15.00.



Carving Sets

The best obtainable from leading American and German manufacturers, Landers, Frary & Clark and Henckels Bros., the famous "Twin" brand. Priced at \$1.00 to \$25.00.

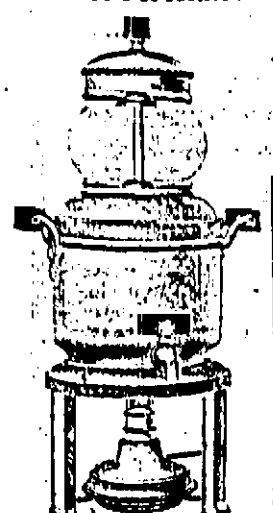
Football 75c to \$5.00.
Air Rifles 75c to \$1.25.
Skates 60c to \$5.00.
Rollers 75c to \$3.00.

Shotguns \$4.50 to \$50.00.
Tools and Tool Chests
Hunting Bags \$1.25 to \$7.00.
Punching Coats.
Creamers and Sugars \$1.50 to \$3.50.
Baking Dishes \$2.25 to \$8.00.
22 cal. Rifles \$1.50 to \$12.00.

Razors always make desirable gifts for men who shave. Our showing of razors is comprehensive in the extreme. We have every conceivable kind, size and shape.
Sharp Shaver 25c
Enders Safety 6 blades, \$1.00.
Gillette safety \$5, \$5.50, \$6.00 and \$7.50.



A Very Suitable Gift A "METEOR" Coffee Percolator



The "Meteor" is a perfect coffee maker. You are assured good, delicious coffee, every day if you have a "Meteor" in the house—no hit or miss about it. All the strength and aroma are extracted from the coffee by distillation—a process which will save you one-third. Many styles and sizes from which to choose ranging in price from 50c to \$10.00. We illustrate a very desirable model, solid copper, latest design. Mission style stands highly, desirable gift at \$8.00.

Casserole \$4.00 to \$6.00.
Silver plated table-ware, in all standard designs.
Thermos Bottles \$3.75 to \$8.50.
Pocket Knives 5c to \$3.00.
Roller Skates 75c to \$5.00.
Boxing Gloves \$1.50 to \$7.00.

IN THIS STORE WILL BE FOUND MANY OTHER GIFT THINGS OTHER THAN THOSE QUOTED HERE. A VISIT TO THE STORE WILL BE A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

H. L. McNamara Has It

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GIFTS of genuine leather in varied assortments. Any article chosen from the following list is unique and out of the ordinary. We know the workmanship to be the finest and the quality to be the best possible to secure at the prices.

Leather Tie Hangers with brass ring, folio effect \$1.00
Leather collar bags in Morocco and oozo leathers, various sizes 50c to \$1.50
Leather Handkerchief and Tie Bags \$1.00, \$1.50
Leather sets of Handkerchief and Tie Bags, Collar Bag and Cuff Bag, handsomely boxed \$4.00
Leather Travel Bags \$3.00 to \$10
Leather Suit Cases \$5.00 to \$10
Imitation Leather Suit Cases \$1 to \$3
Mating Suit Cases, leather bound \$1 to \$3
Dress Gloves for men, boys and children as young as 3 years old.
Fur lined Gloves.
Fur Gloves for boys.
Colored Teddy Bear Mittens for children, boxed 50c
Men's Holiday Furnishings in unrivaled assortments. Men's Stag Shirts, the best \$1.00 shirt sold.

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WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST
Fair tonight; Sunday partly cloudy with slowly rising temperature.
MEMBER OF ASSOCIATED PRESS
BUSINESS OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY EVENING.

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT
It isn't alone the strength you use
Or the time you spend. If you don't
outlast
And tackle your task with a cheery
smile
Your work will never be worth while.
It's the spirit behind your brain and
brawn
That lightens the burden and lifts
the strain.
—Herbert Kaufman.

Enthusiasm may not be the keynote to success, but it is an ingredient so essential that when omitted failure frequently results. The boy who rushes into the house, full of enthusiasm, may be the most troublesome member of the family, but he will be heard from later on.

If energies are encouraged and properly directed he will give an account of himself, and if neglected he will be heard from just the same, for the spirit with which he is endowed is a restless spirit that will stay by him as a controlling force.

His mind may be engrossed with all sorts of visionary and impractical schemes, but when he settles down to work energy will be spurred to beat endeavor, and he will find a place in the front ranks in any channel where his lot may be cast.

Enthusiasm is ambition let loose. Most people are ambitious to better their condition, but many fail because their aspirations are not backed by enthusiastic effort.

One of the problems which has long confronted the industrial world, and which is yet in process of solution, is how to give the enthusiastic worker full swing without disturbing wage scales and upsetting old-time methods.

In large plants where a small army of men are employed the old "piece-work" system has been abolished for two reasons.

First, the employer came to the very narrow and selfish conclusion that his "piece-makers" exports in the various departments, were making too much money, and so reduced the earnings of this class of enthusiastic workers by cutting wages.

This policy resulted in general dissatisfaction because the man of average ability could not reach the output of the expert, and so suffered accordingly.

Then the labor union came in with a wage scale which treated all men alike, and as this offered no inducement to be more than an average worker, the expert simply killed time and worked shorter hours.

Now in most of the large shops men work from 8 to 9 hours on a uniform department daily wage, and there is no incentive to become expert.

Injustice to the men, as well as loss to the employers, is at last fully recognized, and efforts are being made to remedy the evil.

It has been found in many factories that the output could be increased from 25 to 30 per cent if the men could be encouraged to work to the limit of their capacity.

The story is told of a machinist who had been in one employ for eight years. Starting in as a young man full of enthusiasm and ambition he soon succeeded in going to the front as an expert workman.

Then some of the older men advised him to go slow, as his work would not be appreciated, and he would domineer the whole department. Experts once demonstrated that they were right and so he dropped back to become a machine-man, admitting that he, with many others, could do their six days' work in from four to four and a half days, and were simply killing time because not encouraged to improve it.

One factory, employing 3,500 men, was compelled to increase its capacity to meet the demands of trade. The management knew that the men could meet the demand if permitted to work, but instead of turning them loose built and equipped another factory, at a cost of half a million dollars, and all because of these personal conditions.

During the past year captains of industry and labor leaders have come together, and a system has finally been adopted, and is being tried out, which promises to remedy the evil.

The plan is to establish a daily wage scale for the average worker, based on a certain amount of production, and to encourage the expert workman by paying him for what he does beyond the average limit-half of his excess earnings to belong to him and half to the employer.

The Atchison & Topick shops are working under this system, and report the most satisfactory results.

It may seem a little one-sided, at first glance, for it is natural to assume that the expert workman is entitled to all he can earn, but the situation was thoroughly canvassed before the plan was adopted, and both sides considered.

The employer is constantly compelled to add new and improved machinery to his plant, and the scrap heap every year represents heavy losses sustained on this account.

The addition of every improved machine means increased earning capacity for the operator, and a large increase for the expert, fired with enthusiasm and ambition, so it was deemed fair that this excess should be divided.

It is gratifying to know that, em-

ployer and employee are getting together on a basis of mutual understanding. Their interests are mutual and there is every reason why they should work in harmony.

Enthusiasm and ambition should be encouraged. They are the main springs of action which prompt men to do things, and the man or the organization that attempts to handicap or hold in check is guilty of a great injustice.

Enthusiasm is contagious. Someone has said it is the lubricator which makes the machinery of life run smooth. Any church which prospers has connected with it a little band of enthusiastic workers, who are never pessimistic.

The success of any organization, whether social, political or commercial, depends upon the direction and support of a few enthusiastic members.

The man who goes to the front in business must be inspired with the same progressive spirit, for lacking this he will soon be left in the race. The enthusiastic man is never a timid man. He possesses confidence in himself, which is a mighty good asset—and fixedness of purpose to realize his ambitions.

He may make some mistakes, but he is never down and out. He is the man who meets you with a smile on a rainy day and cheers you with a eulogy on the storm.

Cheerfulness is necessary to his existence and he is always content to let the other fellow worry. It pays to be enthusiastic.

THE GAZETTE SLATE
Here is a list of names which the Gazette presents as possible candidates for commissioners, if the city adopts the commission form of government. They may not all be available, as some of them might not be willing to serve, but so much fear is being expressed about the danger of electing bad men, that it is refreshing to know that the city has plenty of good material from which to select.

The list might be doubled in number, and then not exhaust the material. The paper is proud of the slate and believes that any three of the men mentioned would serve the city intelligently and furnish an administration which would be most satisfactory:

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| T. O. Howe | Jack Mitchell |
| T. J. Birmingham | E. T. Mah |
| St. C. Cobb | Charles Schwartz |
| J. A. Craig | S. I. Haddles |
| W. P. Carlo | N. I. Milliken |
| John Hemming | Floyd Ward |
| Jas. A. Fathens | Geo. Kimball |
| C. H. Beaus | Geo. B. King |
| T. S. Nolan | Fred L. Smith |
| P. C. Burpee | C. H. Lange |
| Peter Bure | P. P. Lewis |
| W. S. Joffis | A. B. Matheson |
| A. E. Bingham | H. L. McNamara |
| Allen P. Lovejoy | P. J. Mount |
| M. O. Mount | W. Willey |

Wm. Smith
Chas. Muggleton
W. H. Greenman
John Norcross
Frank Dewey
Geo. S. Parker
H. C. Brown
John W. Peters
H. C. Inell
W. T. Scofield
C. W. Moore
Geo. D. Simpson
S. C. Barnham
N. L. Carle
F. S. Balnes
Sanford Soverhill
Mark Dunlap
Dr. J. W. St. John
V. P. Richardson
Henry Tall
Richard Valentine
A. Taylor
Henry Hanson
C. H. Wierle
If there is anything packed about this list will someone kindly remove the packing?

For Christmas at SKELLY'S BOOK STORE
Few presents give as great and lasting a pleasure as books. If you are looking for attractive presents why not see our store before making your purchases. All our books are sold at sweeping reductions from publishers prices. . . . We also show a fine line of stationery in beautiful holiday boxes. Prices 10c to \$3.00 a box.

Christmas cards, Christmas postals, Christmas tags, seals, labels, coin and currency envelopes. A large assortment to select from.

We show a good line of the Parker Lucky Curve Fountain Pens a suitable gift for Christmas.

Postal card albums ranging in price from 15c to \$4.00 each. Hundreds to select from.

In fancy China we show the newest product from the best English, French and German factories. All exclusive designs.

Fine cut glass. Diaries for 1910. Donnison's Christmas papers for wrapping and decorations.

Skelly's Book Store
107 W. Milwaukee St.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
FOR SALE—Chevy, No. 2 Brown Kodak and developing outfit. New phone black 923.
WANTED—To buy, mission clock like those given by Chicago Record-Herald. Either phone 85.

De a Gentleman.
"Then shall be a gentleman" was the amendment to the ten commandments proposed by President Harris of Amherst, but if they were all kept perhaps the amendment would not be necessary.
Christmas gifts, men's fancy shirts, value \$1 at 60c. Rehberg's.

The Philosopher of Folly.
"There came a time in my life," admits the Philosopher of Folly, "when I did not know which way to turn, or what step to take next. A word from my dancing master put me right, however."
The advertisements will suggest what to give as gifts.

The Last Night---TONIGHT---The Last Night
Don't Miss the Big Success
Theatre Beautiful LYRIC Pride of Janesville
CASE and VINCENT in Double Musical Act
Motion Picture—Self's "The Indian." A stirring western romance full of thrills and excitement.
Illustrated Songs. Admission 10c, children 5c.

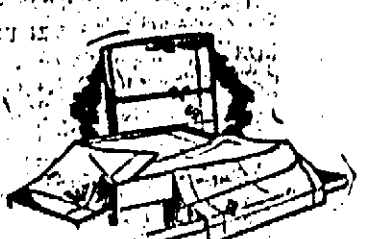
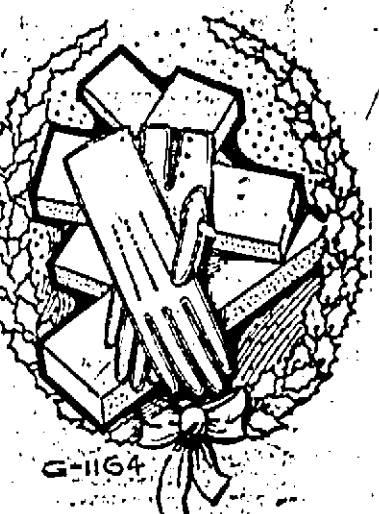
Your Choice of Many Graded Values Master Selections From the World's Greatest Factories
BLASIUS—ALBREC HT—SCHULENBERG
REGENT AND CAMBRIDGE PIANOS.
Nothing short of Factory-To-Home methods could assure such great values as we have to offer. Entirely new designs appear in our Christmas stock and some of our most popular styles are now made with an improved scale that is bound to enhance their popularity and increase their value as musical instruments.
This Season's Styles Better Than Ever. Prices Same As Heretofore
TERMS \$5.00 OR MORE A MONTH
Don't delay your selection of an instrument for Christmas. We shall be glad to put one aside now for holiday delivery. Come in a little ahead of time, at least, and thus get a better idea of the beautiful productions we have on display. This year's creations in Art Mahogany and Walnut as well as in the Old English Oak finish are too artistic and handsome for written description. Not only their outward finish but the sweet pure tone which characterizes our pianos, will greatly appeal to those who appreciate this fine art.
Our Inner Player Pianos For Those Who Don't Play
For those who don't play, our almost human INNER-PLAYER Piano is something as satisfactory as it is unusual and reliable. Built so simply that even a child can operate it, yet so sensitive that individual notes can be accented or subdued at will, the Inner-Player merits the attention of all thinking people who are awake to the possibilities of enjoyment within reach of musicians possessing a great repertoire. Look into this. You can play almost any and all music without a moment's preparation.
Special Discount of 10% on pianos under \$500 bought before Christmas
We Offer During This Time Only, Brand New Pianos at \$150 net
Beautiful Genuine Mahogany Finish with Improved Upright Scale, Nickel-Plated Tuning Pins, Fine Repeating Action, Full Metal Plate, Built Up Pin Block, Excellent Felt Hammers and Genuine Ivory Keys. The Case is Double Veneered, Patent Trap Work and Muffler Attachment, Hand Carved Pilasters, Highly Finished Varnish Work, Solid Mouldings on Top Frame, Boston Fall, Nickel-Plated Continuous Hinges on Fall, Full Front Swing Music Desk, With Patented Hinges, Highly Polished Nickle-plated Pedals, Hardwood Back, Varnished.
Extraordinary Values For Christmas Attraction Only \$150.
See Them While They Last. Will Deliver on the 24th If You Desire
H. B. Hughes Manager **Wisconsin Music Company** Kent Block

TOY GIFTS FOR CHILDREN
Renew your childhood by rendering some child happy with one of these very appropriate and very inexpensive toys. They're just hints of the power of "Happyland" to make real the wonderful air castles which little minds build at Christmas time. It is the same old thrilling joy that always happens when "Jollyopens up his pack.
Come—be an adventurer in "Our Toyland" today.
See the Mechanical Toys whizz across the floor. The new Railroad Trains. The Crying Dolls. And many other new features never shown before this season.
You will enjoy it and be reminded vividly of your childhood days.
THE BEST AT THE PRICE—NO MATTER WHAT THE PRICE.

SAVINGS STORE
15. S. Jackson St.

PYPER'S JEWELRY
Mount Vernon Tableware
The most desirable of all sterling silver patterns shown in greatest display at Pyper's.
Many other patterns as well

Cut Glass and Gold Jewelry
Our assortment of late patterns in Cut Glass comprises exquisite pieces that are of the most exclusive design.
Our jewelry stock is replete with gold gifts that make "never-to-be-forgotten" gifts.
KOEBELIN'S
Jewelry and Music Store, Hayes Block.

DJLUBY
AN IDEAL SHOPPING CENTER
for the ready selection of practical gifts of distinctive style and quality at moderate cost. We suggest these among the many lines made unusually interesting on account of the lowness in price.

Men's combination sets, scarf, pin, and links, \$1.00 to \$3.00.
Men's combination sets, hose and tie to match, special holiday value, \$1.00.
Men's silk plaited hose, special boxes, 50c up.
Men's combination sets, suspenders, arm bands and garters, \$1.00.
Men's President suspenders, enclosed in holiday boxes, every pattern, 50c.
IN SPECIAL HOLIDAY BOXES
for either men or women. This store is showing an elegant range of the popular V-shaped Bradley Mufflers. All the new shades. They come in all collar sizes, 12 to 18.

Exceptional values in Men's Street Gloves, \$1.00.
H & P. Gloves in such popular brands as Yucatan, Gaults, Sirdar and Redvere made especially for this store as regards stitching and styles of backs, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.
Warm lined kid gloves 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50. Silk lined kid gloves, \$1.50 to \$3.00. Dressed Gloves lined and unlined, \$1.50 to \$2.50. Undressed gloves in all shades, \$1.00 to \$2.50. Mocha Mittens lined, 50c to \$2.00.
DJLUBY
Nothing Surprising. An exchange tries to make a point by mentioning that the shape of the fish hook has not changed in 2,000 years. Pooh, neither has the shape of the fish.

Thoughtfulness

Now in the season when consideration of others is a beautiful practice. If you want to do a real kindness to someone you love and who is dependent upon you, there is nothing more appropriate than to send that person to me.

Recently, a gentleman now a resident of another city sent his younger sister, in to me, saying: "You fix up the girl's teeth and send the bill to me."

Could you think of a better way to express your Xmas sentiment.

DR. F. T. RICHARDS
GRADUATE DENTIST.Office over Hall & Bayles Jewelry store
Janesville, Wis.**DR. F. T. RICHARDS**
GRADUATE DENTIST.

Is the process by which to have your clothes cleaned. You will think you have a new article to put on if you send it to

CARL F. BROCKHAUS
JANEVILLE DYE WORKS
Opposite Myers House.

ROLLER RINK
Tonight
Gent's One Mile Race.
Ladies' One-Half Mile Race
Skating until 10:30

ESTABLISHED 1855
—THE—
First National Bank
Capital\$125,000
Surplus and Profits \$125,000
Stockholder's Liability\$125,000
NEW MONEY FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
Gold Coins.
Silver Coins.
Bright Pennies.
Fresh, Crisp Currency.
Put in your order EARLY.

Mrs. Hampel
ART NEEDLE WORK
Embroidered waist and material.
Finished Sofa Pillows and Pin Cushions of Beautiful Patterns.
23 N. MAIN ST.

Keep Your Clothes Clean And Pressed
It Pays
Bring the work to me—
Prices right. Quick reliable service.
F. J. WURMS
With Amos Rehberg & Co.

Winners, Bologna, Liver Sausage, Head Cheese—home-made; at
J. F. SCHOOFF
The Market on the Square.
Both Phones.

RAZOOK'S CANDY PALACE
The House of Purity.
30 S. Main St. Both phones.

A. HYATT SMITH WAS SEVERELY SCORCHED

About the Face and Hands in a Peculiar Accident at the Rock County Sugar Co.'s Factory.

A. Hyatt Smith, engineer at the Rock County Sugar Co.'s factory, had one side of his face and a hand badly burned as the result of a peculiar accident which occurred at an early hour yesterday morning. As he emptied a full of waste oil and water on a spot where some acid residue had been thrown the oil was ignited and burst into a scorching sheet of flame. Mr. Smith was removed to his home, 453 North Washington street, where he is likely to be confined for several days.

LANE GARAGE LEASED BY LOCAL COMPANY

Howard Baack, Louis Gage and J. E. Reed of Madison Have Organized to Handle Automobiles.

Baack, Reed & Gage company is the name of the company recently organized in this city, which has leased the garage being erected for Wilson Lane, and will handle automobiles. The members of the organization are Howard Baack, president and manager of the sales department; J. E. Reed of Madison, vice-president and manager of the garage; and Louis Gage, secretary and treasurer, who is to look after the business end of the firm. They will take possession of their new quarters the first of March. The exhibition car of one of several lines which they expect to handle will arrive here February 1. Mr. Reed will come to this city from Madison to take charge of the garage.

TWAS TEN BELOW ZERO BY THE THERMOMETERS IN BUSINESS SECTION

According to Observations Made by Officer Slim Dorn at Midnight—
Dr. Dwight Reports 7 Below Record.

Last night was the coldest on record, the present winter. In the business section, according to the observations of Officer Slim Dorn, the mercury sank to 10 below zero. Dr. C. G. Dwight's thermometer registered 7 below at an early hour this morning.

MRS. MARTIN DUNN FELL AND BROKE WRIST TODAY

Was Victim of Accident Which Occurred on Cellar Stairs at a Neighbor's House.

Mrs. Martin Dunn, who makes her home with Mrs. C. D. Stevens at 301 Milwaukee avenue, had a fall this noon and broke her right wrist. She was coming from the house of a neighbor and slipped and fell through a cellar door. She was very badly shaken up and will probably be confined to the hospital for several days.

CHRISTMAS TREE AT THE COUNTY HOUSE

Friday Evening Will Be Gala Night for Informal—Presents Can Be Left with O. D. Bates.

Christmas will be observed at the County House next Friday evening by a big Christmas tree and a general jollification. Superintendent Barlow is arranging for the event which from present indications will be long remembered by those whom the county is caring for. Those who desire to give presents to the patients can leave the packages at O. D. Bates' grocery store and they will be forwarded to the county institution.

ADJOURNMENT TAKEN IN THE SCHEUNEMANN CASE

Young Man Charged with Larceny as Bailor of a Typewriter Will Have His Trial on January 3.

On the petition of the defendant an adjournment of the case of the State vs. Otto Scheunemann to January 3 was taken in municipal court this morning. Scheunemann is charged with selling to Arthur Dutton for consideration of \$15 a \$40 typewriter which he had previously rented at P. H. Koubella's jewelry store.

OFFERS \$25 REWARD FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF THIEVES' MEAT BOARD

George W. Yahn Is Determined to Spare No Effort to Run Down Night Visitors at His Slaughterhouse.

The thieves who stole two hogs at George W. Yahn's slaughterhouse Wednesday night and butchered them on the spot were careless enough to leave behind them a large, long, thick, greasy meat-board which looks as if it might have done service in some boarding-house. Mr. Yahn has offered a reward of \$25 for the identification of the board, which is on exhibition at his butcher shop on West Milwaukee street. Chief of Police Appleby and Sheriff Schellert ran down a clue which led into the country this morning, but made no important discovery.

THE GREATEST GIFT.

Open a savings account with \$1.00 in the Bower City Bank and present it to the young man or woman you are interested in as a Xmas gift. It is practical—it is sensible. It will start the boy or girl on the right road. Bower City Bank.

UNITED COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS CHRISTMAS DANCE FOR THIS EVENING

The Christmas dance of the U. C. T. parties will be given this evening, Dec. 18, at East Side I. O. O. F. hall. The attendance of these parties is not confined entirely to members of the order. Their friends and acquaintances are cordially invited.

A Christmas Present for Son or Daughter

You can find nothing more appropriate or beneficial than a course in the new Janesville Business college. Second term opens Jan. 3. W. H. Williamson, Mgr. Rock Co. phone, Red 221.

The advertisements will suggest what to give as gifts.

EDWIN HEAD PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING

Well-known Resident of This City Died at His Home after an Illness of Two Weeks.

Edwin S. Head, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, died this morning at his home, 519 South Bluff street. Mr. Head was born in September, 1841, at Waldoboro, Me., but has been a resident of Janesville for about twenty-five years. He was formerly engaged in the tobacco business with his brother under the firm name of Head Bros., they using the large frame warehouse near the Milwaukee & St. Paul passenger depot now occupied by the firm of L. H. Carlo & Son. For the past five years, however, Mr. Head has been engaged in the insurance business.

Besides a wife he leaves to mourn his loss four children—Walter W., an insurance adjuster in New York; Rachel, Elmer and Edwin, all of this city.

Mr. Head's quiet and unassuming ways, but sterling worth, won him a host of friends who will always cherish his memory and will extend to the stricken family their heartfelt sympathy.

FRATERNAL SOCIETY ELECTED OFFICERS

Willis Taylor Chosen President of Organization Which Is in a Flourishing Condition.

At their last regular meeting the Fraternal Aid Association elected the following officers for the year of 1910: Past-president, John Heller; President, Willis Taylor; Vice-president, Mrs. Anna Klenow; Secretary, Mrs. Emma Mahlon; Chaplain, H. Tamm; Guide, Mrs. Corn Robb; Observer, Roy Shorwood; Sentinel, E. E. Hill; Trustees for Three Years, John Connors; Trustees for One Year, Thyner Schenck, burger. The association is in a very flourishing condition at present and it is expected that within the next four or five weeks nearly seventy-five new members will be initiated.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy entertained at a one o'clock luncheon this noon, followed by cards. This is the second luncheon this season given by Mrs. Lovejoy. On Thursday, the previous day, Mrs. Cora Jacobs Band of Chicago gave a delightful musical recital in the afternoon.

Miss Helen Joffe arrived last evening from Washington, D. C., where she is attending Mrs. Sommers' school.

The Misses Eloise Elfeld and Pearl Baker arrived home last evening from Grand Haven, Mich., where they are students at Akeley Hall.

Atty. J. J. Cunningham is transacting business in Madison.

G. H. Barker of Portage is transacting business here.

Miss Letha Thompson of Juda and Miss Olive McDermott of Darlington were visitors here last evening.

J. R. Gates of St. Atkinson was here on business last evening.

F. P. Barnes of Los Angeles, Cal., was in the city last evening.

C. M. Clarke of Stoughton was in the city yesterday.

E. E. Kittelton of Albany was in the city last evening.

C. B. Murdock of Broadhead was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Hemmingsway of Hanover visited in the city yesterday.

Miss Edith Clapp, who has charge of a school in the town of Plymouth, will hold Christmas exercises at the school this evening.

Clem. Clark of Stoughton was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

D. J. Wilson of Edgerton transacted business in the city Friday.

S. J. Waddell has returned from a trip in the west.

B. Dodge of Madison spent yesterday in the city.

Miss Etta Hollis is the guest of Janesville friends.

P. P. Williams of Madison was a business visitor here yesterday.

Thomas Miller of Oshkosh visited in the city yesterday.

P. S. Morse of Rockford was in the city Friday.

William Vlymen has gone to Chicago, where he will spend the holidays.

P. K. Kelley of Madison transacted business in the city yesterday.

Charles R. Bentley of Edgerton spent yesterday in the city.

P. A. Bridge of Madison was in the city on business yesterday.

A. E. Storer and D. S. Howie of Oshkosh were Janesville visitors Friday.

Henry Tall and wife have returned home from several days' visit in Chicago.

Judge Grimm returned to Jefferson last evening and will be here again Monday morning.

E. L. Hoethel of Edgerton is a visitor in the city.

MISS MARY KING CALLED BY DEATH

Aged Resident of Janesville Passed Away This Morning.

Mary Agnes King, one of the pioneer residents of Janesville, passed away this morning at her home, 17 Sheldahl street, at eleven o'clock. She had been an invalid for the past six years, having suffered an attack of apoplexy, which caused her to slowly waste away.

Miss King was born in New York City, but came to Janesville in 1844 with her parents, when Janesville was but in the primary steps of its development. She was struck by lightning when a child, which caused total blindness, but her mental faculties were very acute, and her nature was cheerful in spite of her affliction. Hers was a beautiful character which endeared her to all who knew her. Her sister, Miss Angie King, mourns an irreparable loss. She retained her memory and mental faculties until the last. Besides Miss Angie King of this city, she is survived by three brothers—Robert, Wallace King of Brooklyn, N. Y.; John C. Hamilton of Buffalo, N. D.; and three nieces in St. Paul, Miss Angie K. Horn, Miss Dolah Horn and Mrs. Sarah West. A nephew, J. D. King, resides in this city. Word has been sent to her brother residing in Brooklyn and the arrangements for the funeral will be postponed until word has been received from him. Date and hour of the services will be announced later.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Is Severely Injured: Captain Moore, who fell on a walk last Tuesday, is suffering from two broken ribs and will be confined to the house for some time to come.

F. & A. M.: Special communication of Janesville Lodge No. 55, F. & A. M., at Masonic temple at 7:30 Monday evening. Work in M. M. degree. Refreshments. The craft invited.

Sleight Party: Pupils of the last Adams school enjoyed a boisterous last evening.

Divorce Decree Granted: Following the hearing of the action of Ada M. McMaster vs. Albert H. McMaster in circuit court yesterday afternoon, a decree of divorce was granted to the plaintiff. The parties reside in Clinton.

What a Gift for a Boy! Open a savings account for him with \$1.00 in the Bower City bank. He will take pride in watching it grow month by month. Teach the boy to save his money.

KLINE REPORTED BETTER BY PHYSICIANS TODAY

Noted Beloit Saloon Man Injured in Fire Yesterday Is Recovering.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)
Beloit, Dec. 18.—John Kline, who is known in all parts of the country by the sporting fraternity, who was burned yesterday in a fire which destroyed the interior of his son's saloon, is reported today as recovering from the effects of smoke which he inhaled. Adolph Canah was injured at the Fairbanks-Morse works last night and half of his foot was amputated.

RACES TONIGHT AT THE RINK.

There will be a mile race for gentlemen at the Roller Rink tonight in which one of our local boys will try out. He shows some speed and if successful Manager Connors will bring some of the fast ones from outside towns here to meet him. There will also be a half-mile race for the ladies which should prove a very interesting event as the winner will have a chance to meet the champion. A fair skater of Rockford for a fine gold medal. It will probably be put on New Year's eve as a big session is promised on that night—basketball, races, and the skaters will skate the old year out and the new year in.

CURRENT ITEMS.

FOR SALE—Wood, \$6.00 per cord, blocked. New phone 764.

Start your boy on the right road. \$1.00 opens a savings account for him in the Bower City bank. Put the savings deposit book in his Xmas stocking. He will appreciate it.

The best Xmas gift for son or daughter is a course in the new Janesville Business college. New term, Jan. 3.

Don't miss the famous "Passion Play" motion pictures, Colonial theatre.

Orders now received for extra copies of the Gazette's big review edition. Owing to a typographical error J. P. Schooff's ad in last night's Gazette read 114 East Milwaukee St. Mr. Schooff's business is located at 118 Corn Exchange.

Make a Xmas gift of a savings account in the Bower City bank.

Columbia indestructible cylinder records, 2 and 4 minute. Seaville's, 11 S. Main St.

Christmas week promises to be a gay one for those enjoying dancing. On Monday, December 27, the newly organized Lakota club make their debut as entertainers with a dance at which Thompson's orchestra of Madison will furnish the music. On Thursday, the 30th, Krell's orchestra has been engaged for a private party at Assembly hall.

Send your order now for your extra copies of the big review edition of the Gazette.

Famous "Passion Play" motion pictures, Colonial theatre, tonight.

I will give \$25 reward to any one who can identify plank at my store, W. Milwaukee St. This may lead to the identification and arrest of the parties who broke into my slaughterhouse Dec. 15. Geo. W. Yahn.

Don't miss famous "Passion Play" motion pictures, Colonial theatre.

The big review edition of the Gazette will soon be ready. Be sure and order early.

Remember the Gazette's big review edition on Dec. 30th. Order your extra copies now.

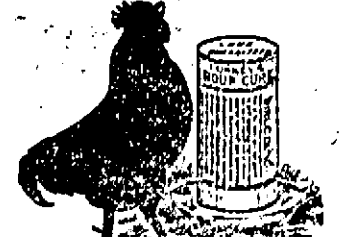
Decline of Nations.
If the big scientist who ascribes the downfall of Greece and Rome to malaria turns out to be correct, what in the world will the commencement orator of the future have to fall back on?

Advice to the Stayer.
There are few people in the world who have time-to-go sense. No guest is welcome forever. If you are in the habit of staying until every one begins to look as if that tired feeling was getting the better of their politeness, quit it. The sooner you go, the more you will be urged to come again.—
Atchison Globe.

One Comfort for Johnny.
"Yes," said Mrs. Lapelling; "Johnny tries my patience sometimes, but I never spank him. I don't believe in corporal punishment."

Conkey's Roup Cure

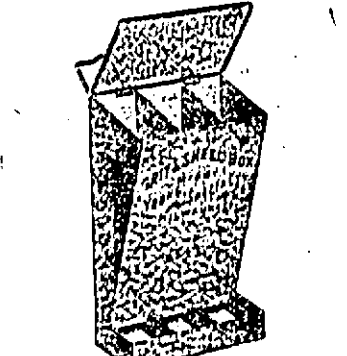
will stop that cold and wheezing in your poultry in short order, 25c and 50c.



CONKEY'S LAYING TONIC
tones up the system and keeps them healthy. Guaranteed to give satisfaction, 25c and 50c.



Grit and Shell Boxes, Dry Food Hoppers, Drinking Fountains.



Nest Eggs, 25c per doz.
Leg Bands, 10c per doz.
Exhibition Coops, \$1.75 and \$2.50 each.

F. H. GREEN & SON.
115 N. Main. Both Phones.

Razook's LINE OF Christmas Candies

is most complete.

Our candies are all made in a sanitary "Pure White Kitchen" by experts—experienced exponents of the candy makers art.

It is a pleasure to buy candies here; everything is well and temptingly displayed and marked in plain figures.

When downtown drop in and ask to be shown how the candies you eat are made. Our kitchen is at all times open to public inspection.

Prices here are low consistent with the quality of our goods.

Razook's Candy Palace
30 S. Main St. Both phones.
"The House of Purity."

The Yule Tide Spirit

Carries further when accompanied by a box of

Razook's Delicious Candies

These sweets are qualified just as you would have them qualified for loved ones. Popularly priced.

Razook's Candy Palace
30 S. Main St. Both phones.
"The House of Purity."

5 MORE SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS

The Rock County National Depository of the United States, State of Wisconsin, City of Janesville.

Established 1855

ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK**20 Lbs. Granulated Sugar \$1.00**

GOLDEN PALACE FLOUR \$1.50 SACK.

1-LB. WALTER BAKER'S CHOCOLATE 28c

1-LB. SEEDED RAISINS 8c PKG.

1-LB. PKG. CLEANED CURRANTS 9c

1 LB. BEST CITRON 18c LB.

1 LB. BEST LEMON OR ORANGE PEEL 15c

3 PKGS. NONE SUCH NINE-SUCH MINCE MEAT 25c

E. R. WINSLOW

24 N. MAIN ST.

There is one piano store in Wisconsin where only pianos of standard make are sold.

That is Lyle's 124 Corn Exchange

Janesville

Home-made Mince Meat, 15c a lb.

None Such Mince Meat 10c a pkg., 3 for 25c.

Raisins 10c a lb., 3 for 25c.

Currants, 10c a lb.

Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel.

Halloween Dates, 8c a lb.

Fancy Fard Dates for candies, 12 1/2c lb.

Mixed Nuts, 15c a lb.

Xmas Candy, 10c a lb.

Smoked Whitefish.

Conical Oysters, 45c a qt.

F. L. WILBUR & CO.

PURE FOOD GROCERY.

FAIR STORE

50 lb. sack Superlative Flour...\$1.45
worth that price to buy in car lots.
1 lb. pkg. Seeded Raisins.....8c
1 lb. Seedless Raisins, 7c 4 for.....25c
1 lb. pkg. Cleaned Currants.....8c
1 lb. Citron.....15c
All new goods.
5c pkg. Bakers Sweet Chocolate....4c
1 lb. Coconut.....15c
1 qt. Hickory Nuts.....5c
2 lbs. New Mixed Nuts.....25c
3 lbs. Christmas Candy.....25c
1 gal. Sweet Cider.....30c
1 lb. Corn that will pop.....3c
1 lb. Brick Butterine, none better.....17c
1 qt. Oysters, fresh large and fat.....40c
1 doz. Oranges.....18c, 22c, 28c, and 30c
1 can Sweet Corn, 7c 4 for.....25c
1 can Early June Peas.....8c
1 qt. Cranberries.....15c
Shirts waists from 50c to \$3.25.
Ladies' Sweater Coats, \$1.45 and \$2.95.
French popline wine, blue, grey, black and cream, 28c.
New broad cloths, flannel and serges.
Flannelette fancy colors, 9c yd.
\$1.25 flannel Wrappers and two piece suit all sizes, choice \$1.00.
One piece dresses \$1, \$1.25, and \$1.50.
Long Kimonos, from \$1.00 to \$1.25.
Dressing gowns 39c and 50c.
Outing flannel gowns 59c, 72c and 95c.
Kilt and flannel skirts, 25c and 50c.
Baton and Heatherloom skirts from 75c to \$2.50.
72-inch wide table linen 85c and 98c a yd.
Unbleached linen, 25c and 50c a yd.
Pattern table linen, 72c, \$1.15 and \$1.35.
Fancy drawn work and battenburg pieces.
Rugs for 95c and \$1.35.
Couch covers 75c.
Silk numbers and scarfs.
Silk lined gloves 48c a pair.
Kid gloves 98c pair.
Handkerchiefs, 3c, 5c, 10c, 15c, and 25c.
Fancy boxes and baskets.
Men's and ladies' neckwear.
Muslin umbrellas, 85c, \$1 and \$1.50.
Fancy shopping bags, 25c and 50c, and two leather lined bags for \$1.
Black combs, 25c, 50c and \$1.
Slide combs and barretts.

By mistake our last night's ad read admission 5c. Because of an extra large and costly program we must charge

10c—TONIGHT—10c

THE FAMOUS

Passion Play

COLONIAL THEATRE,
33 S. Main St.

A DELIGHTFUL SPECIAL

Sunday Dinner

Tomorrow 35c

—at—

Harry's Cafe

110 W. MIL ST.

Telephone orders sent out. Short orders of all kinds.

Give a

Gas Lamp

as a Gift.

If you want odd designs, something unique, something different, let us show you our Holiday assortment of portable Gas Lamps. No two have been chosen on any one design, and the probability is that it will never be duplicated in Janesville.

Prices Range \$2.00 to \$35.00.

New Gas Light Co.

Home-made Mince Meat, 15c a lb.

None Such Mince Meat 10c a pkg., 3 for 25c.

Raisins 10c a lb., 3 for 25c.

Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

THE WOMAN OF IT.

George Albert of New York loved Dora Steinmeyer of the same place. He told her so.

Miss Steinmeyer, a beautiful girl, did not reciprocate Albert's affection and told him so.

Albert was filled with despair, and he thought about the refusal until he was nearly crazed. Meeting the girl on the street, he threw acid in her face.

The girl's beauty was almost spoiled, and her eyes were endangered.

"The brute! The scoundrel such a man goes to the penitentiary the better. He ought to be kept there the remainder of his natural life to make sure he will not spoil the beauty of some other girl."

That is the man of it. But strange woman heart! Miss Steinmeyer says, "Now I know he loves me."

Carrying nothing for him before, she now says she will do all she can to keep him out of prison and if he does go she will wait for him and marry him when he gets out.

That is the woman of it. If the girl does not change her mind and does marry Albert she will make a great mistake. A man whose wires get crossed like that would be a dangerous man to live with.

But—

The incident serves to reveal the gentleness of a woman's heart. And it shows that above all things a woman wants to be loved for herself. A woman may desire money and social position, and desire them very much, but she yearns most of all to be loved for her very self. She may harbor love for other things, but will always know who has cheated herself.

Affection alone will appease the hunger in a woman's heart.

It is customary for men to say no man can ever really know a woman. They call her "the riddle of the universe," enigma, sphinx and other names. That is a mistake.

You can read the most sacred secret of any woman's heart—by loving her. But you may clothe her in purple and fine linen and put her on a throne as queen and she will never be satisfied until she is sure that some man loves her for herself alone.

Therefore I say it is easy to read the inscription on the utmost depths of a woman's soul.

And by the same token it is easy to make any woman supremely happy. How? Love her and—prove it.

CANCELED.



"He had adjusted the rope ladder and stood waiting in breathless silence.

Suddenly her face appeared at the window.

"Darling," she murmured, "you will have to go without me."

"What?" he cried, hoarsely. "Why do you fail at the last moment? Speak, Miriam. What is it that keeps you back?"

The young girl buried her face in her hands. "I am sorry, John," she moaned. "But I have just left a note in my desk saying that I may have that new hat, after all."

WAS NOT THERE.



Paperpill—How do you like this to-day?

Stubbleton—I never speak ill of the absent.

Only Way to Get Him. A Pennsylvania man fell out of a tree and dislocated his neck. He was able to throw it back into place without the help of a doctor. It is evident that the only way fate can lay up this man is to have him enter politics.

The advertisements will suggest what to give us gifts.

BIG RECEPTION AT OPENING OF HOTEL

J. M. Horst to Give Party and Ball for Opening of Hotel Carlton at Edgerton, Dec. 30.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)

Edgerton, Dec. 18.—J. M. Horst, who recently took possession of the Hotel Carlton, is making big preparations for the opening reception and ball on the evening of the 30th inst. The reception will begin at six o'clock and continue until eight. A concert program will be rendered during the reception hours by the Knott & Hatch orchestra of Janesville. At the conclusion of the reception an adjournment will be taken to Academy hall where dancing will take place from nine until one o'clock. The grand march will take place at 9:30, led by a professional. The event promises a large attendance from all parts of the state and undoubtedly will eclipse anything of the kind ever held in Edgerton.

The public schools here closed Friday afternoon for the holiday vacation of two weeks. Appropriate Christmas exercises were carried out in both the primary and intermediate grades.

Mrs. C. O. Shannon will leave Monday for a four weeks' absence which she will spend with relatives in La Crosse and Chicago.

EVANSVILLE.

Evansville, Dec. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Devendorf are expected home today from Delavan where they have been the past week on account of the illness and death of Mrs. Devendorf's mother.

E. J. Reckard returned Thursday from a business trip to Ft. Atkinson. Rev. Altheor of Wauwatosa will conduct the services at the Baptist church next Sunday. He will also speak at Union in the afternoon.

The Tourist club will hold their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Lager.

H. D. Morgan has been confined to his home most of the week by illness. Miss Dowling Stevens, who is kindergarten director in the Waupaca public school is expected home next week to remain through the holiday vacation.

C. J. Pearsall is spending today in Elgin on business.

Miss Lela Acheson comes home from Reedsburg tomorrow for a two weeks' vacation.

Improving on Nature.

By a Norwegian process, sap is forced out of green tree trunks and dye is injected in its place. This is claimed to give colored wood for furniture and finish that will not warp and is much more durable than ordinary wood.

Quest of the Age.

We have lost our power to become satisfied with the essentials of life. Rich and poor alike, we seek wealth as the greatest promoter to human happiness, the greatest blessing obtainable.—The Queen.

The Untidiness of Suicide. I always dress elaborately when I'm contemplating suicide; then by the time the last curl is in its place it seems a pity to do anything untidy.—Anna McClure Sholl, "The Greater Love."

Trouble.

"Some folks," says Brother Dickory, "have so much trouble in this world that the place where Satan lives at will look 'familiar to 'em!'"

Recipe for Plum Duff. Plum duff is a sailor's delicacy. Rub together one quart of flour, one half pound of kidney sweet chopped fine, one-half pound of raisins and one teaspoonful of salt; add one pint of water. Put in a rag or pudding mold and boil three hours.

Ever Noticed This?

However, it is to be noted that the man who thinks he knows it all, only thinks it. He doesn't know it.

CLEAN LINEN

is essential to neat appearance and comfort. We launder the finest linens with care. Collars turned perfectly.

Janesville Steam Laundry
We Wash Clothes Clean.

"Listen Mother"

Get baby a "BABY BOWL HOLDER" and things will change wonderfully—it will keep him nice and clean while eating. He cannot spill the food over the edge of the bowl; because the inverted edge of his new bowl prevents this. He cannot upset the bowl and spread the contents all over his high chair, table and break it, causing you expense and get another scolding. He enjoys his food more than ever before and also gives his parents a chance to do likewise.

You Ought to Have One For Your Baby, and do not delay, as it saves you money, and don't say a granite or tin dish will do, as it will not; and you are aware of the fact that when the enamel is worn off of a dish that it is poisonous, and you do not relish the food yourself from tin dishes, neither does your baby, whose little stomach is much more delicate.

This holder is made very strong and durable and is quickly detached and can be used on a high chair, table or any place you care to feed the child. The bowls are handsomely decorated with the word "BABY" on them in gold lettering. The bowls are also inexpensive and in event you break one in washing, etc., can be replaced with small expense.

Don't lose sight of the fact that thousands of children are poisoned annually from eating out of metal dishes. Order one now and be safe. FOR SALE BY—

Skelly's Grocery Co.

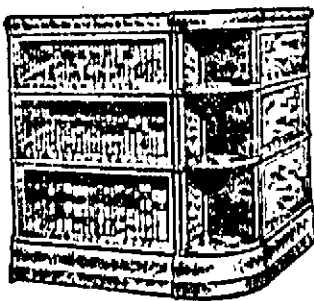
Practical Holiday Gifts

Why not give Christmas presents that please and live as substantial tokens of your regard?

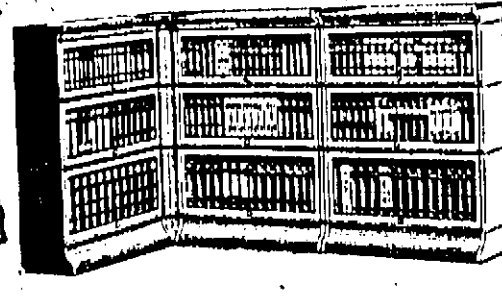
The immense stock of goods to be found here suitable for Christmas gifts will prove a delightful relief to you on your Christmas shopping tour.

You can find just what you wish, the quality of the goods will be assurance that you are giving the best.

Any of the following articles will be received in hundreds of homes with pleasureable delight.



MUSIC CABINETS
PRINCESS DRESSERS
TOILET TABLES
LADIES DESKS
BEDROOM SUITES
DAVENPORTS
COUCHES
BRASS BEDS
IRON BEDS
PARLOR SETS
JARDINIERE STANDS
DIVANS
FANCY ROCKERS
RECEPTION CHAIRS



MORRIS CHAIRS
TURKISH LEATHER ROCKERS
PEDESTALS
LIBRARY TABLES
PARLOR TABLES
MIRRORS
DINING ROOM SETS
KITCHEN CABINETS
CHILDREN'S DOLL CARTS
ROCKERS
SECTIONAL BOOKCASES
CHAIRS
GO-CARTS AND
BABY ROCKERS FOR
THE GO-CART

The styles are pleasing in the extreme—absolutely correct value for the money expended.

You get what you pay for—100 cents worth for every dollar left here.

W. H. ASHCRAFT

Furniture and Undertaking

104 W. Milwaukee St.

Here is a Host of Helpful Hints To Gift Hunters

And the entire stock is brilliant with an entirely unmatched array of useful and beautiful remembrances, many of which can only be found here.

Only 5 More Xmas Shopping Days Left

Suggestions for Women

IN SILVER

Bon Bon Dishes
Bon Bon Spoons
Book Marks
Book Rests
Button Hooks
Candle Sticks
Candle Shades
Card Trays
Cloth Brushes
Clog Bottles
Cologne
Desk Sets
Hair Receivers
Hair Brushes
Hair Pin Boxes
Hair Pin Trays
Ink Stands
Jewelry Trays
Looking Glasses
Manicure Articles

IN JEWELRY

Bracelets
Bead Necklaces
Belt Buckles
Belt Pins
Brooches
Chatelaine Watches
Collar Pins
Crosses
Cuff Pins
Cuff Buttons
Chatelaines
Ear Rings
Hat Pins
Locketts
Lavallieres
Lorgnettes

Suggestions for Men

IN SILVER

Ash Trays
Button Hooks
Card Cases
Carving Sets
Cigar Holders
Cigar Lighters
Cigarette Boxes
Cigarette Cases
Cigarette Holders
Clothes Brushes
Coasters
Combs
Fountain Pens
Hair Brushes

IN JEWELRY

Collar Buttons
Cuff Buttons
Charms
Cigarette Cases
Cigar Cutters
Key Chains
Key Rings
Locketts
Match Boxes

In our stock may be found many other suggestions which do not exactly come under the head of jewelry but which make most appropriate gifts for men.

You will observe in the foregoing lists that special mention is made of articles in silver and jewelry. This is done because they are perhaps the most sought after as holiday gifts, but there will be found in our stock many suggestions from materials of many kinds which would certainly charm the connoisseur.

Anything from Olin & Olson's is Good to Give
---Good to Receive

OLIN & OLSON

Jewelers & Opticians

Suggestions for the Home

Book Racks
Chafing Dishes
Desk Sets
Spoons, Forks and Knives. We have a large and complete selection and our prices are absolutely based on the quality.

HAWKES CUT GLASS

Our stock of Hawkes Cut Glass has never before been so complete, and as in the past—our prices are attractive. Our display this season includes a large variety of new pieces in unique shapes, and the designs are particularly beautiful.

Suggestions for Children

IN SILVER

Silver Rattles
Silver Mounted Brushes
Silver Mounted Combs
Teething Rings
Silver Cups, Plates, Spoons, Knives and Forks
Baby Pins
Locketts and Chains
Rings
Bracelets
Necklaces, Watches, Watch Chains, Stick Pins, Fobs.

Birthstones and Sentiment

January, Garnet.....Constancy
February, Amethyst.....Sincerity
March, Bloodstone.....Firmness and Truth
April, Diamond.....Innocence and Purity
May, Emerald.....Happiness and Immortality
June, Agate.....Health and Wealth
July, Ruby.....Love and Charity
August, Sardonyx.....Fidelity
September, Sapphire.....Wisdom and Virtue
October, Opal.....Hope and Happiness
November, Topaz.....Fidelity
December, Turquoise.....Success and Faithfulness

Wedding Anniversaries

1st Year.....Cotton
2nd Year.....Paper
3rd Year.....Leather
4th Year.....Books
5th Year.....Wooden
6th Year.....Woolen
7th Year.....Brick
8th Year.....Copper
9th Year.....Tin
10th Year.....Silk and Linen
11th Year.....Crystal
12th Year.....China
13th Year.....Silver
14th Year.....Pearl
15th Year.....Sapphire
16th Year.....Ruby
17th Year.....Diamond

PUTNAM'S Dinner Sets for Xmas

Gold Band Dinner Sets	\$18.00
Mat Gold Dinner Sets	22.00
Haviland Dinner Sets	20.00
Haviland Dinner Sets	15.00
Haviland Dinner Sets	30.00
Traced Gold Dinner Set	6.00
Traced Gold Dinner Set	10.00

PUTNAM

Furniture, Crockery, Etc.

READ GAZETTE WANT ADS

Special Inducements To Xmas. Shoppers

Tonight and Monday only

Holme's Store

Xmas Specials

Drawnwork Scarfs and Squares, very slightly and useful 59c

Satin Pin Cushions, daintily trimmed with lace and ribbon, assorted colors 75c to \$1.50

Ladies' Mufflers, made of suesine silk, choice line of colors 50c

Initial Handkerchiefs, for ladies or men, extra good values, at 10c

Men's Suspenders in fancy boxes, very useful gifts 35c and 50c

Fancy Laundry Bags, large size, well made, 50c, 75c

Holly Boxes, choice assortment still left 5c, 10c

Children's FUR SETS at very reasonable prices.

Fancy Lined Gloves, all sizes and colors, 25c and 50c

Xmas Towels, hemstitched or fringed damask towels make splendid gifts. 50c

Bed Spreads make useful gifts, hemmed or fringed, reasonable prices.

Hinterscheid's Specials

Baby Swings, hang from ceiling or in doors, box sent of wood, white hemp cords, folds up when not in use. Special 25c

Imported China Salads, beautifully decorated, embossed and gold traced, large size, \$1.00 value at 85c

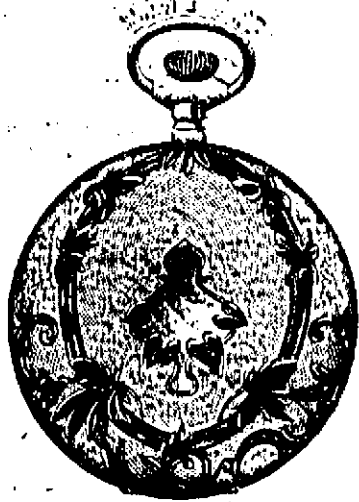
Hinterscheid's

Handsomeness Xmas Stationery

In fancy boxes, sizes 8x17 and 10x12. 3 quires of heavy linen finish Paper with Envelopes to match. Value up to 75c, special at 31c

Reliable Drug Co.

Special Tonight and Monday



Gentlemen's watch in 25 year guaranteed case, with guaranteed movement. Guaranteed by both the makers and us. Special price for tonight and Monday, only \$10.00.

Doane Bros.

Jewelers & Opticians
Grand Hotel Block.

Specials

At

T. P. BURNS

Very fine white all wool blanket, fancy border, extra size, \$10.50 value, at \$6.17

Messaline silk gowns, 1-piece, excellent style, \$20.00 value at \$10

Fancy silk short Kimonos, plain satin band trimming to match, \$3.50 value, at \$2.50

10% reduction on all ladies' fancy muslin Night Gowns, Skirts and combination, that retail above \$1.00.

23-inch kid body, full jointed dolls, sleeping eyes, curly hair, shoes and stockings, value \$1.75, at 92c

Fancy linen embroidered Dresser Scarfs and Table Covers, 10% discount.

Ladies' fancy Umbrellas, wood handles with mother of pearl and gold tops, value \$1.50, at \$1.05

Ladies' black Silk Hose, \$2.00 value, at \$1.19

Ladies' fleeco lined Kid Mittens, 75c value 43c

Men's large Silk Muffler, black, white and colors, extra heavy silk, \$3.00 value at \$1.89

Men's gray Cardigan Jackets, 75c value, at 39c

White Cotton Crepe, 30-inch, special at, yard 10 1/2c

3-4 all Linen Napkins, choice patterns, \$3.00 value at \$1.57

\$3 White Spread at \$1.69

75c Brass Doll Beds Special 49c

White metal, enameled to look like brass, folds up when not in use, complete with mattress, sheet, pillow, pillow cases and chamber quilt. Only 6 dozen in the lot, while they last, 49c.

Size 10x16 inches, foot post 14 inches high, head post 18 inches high.

Big specials in Dressed and Undressed Dolls.

NICHOLS STORE

32 S. MAIN STREET.

Children's BESTYETTE Rain Capes

The very finest made, in red and blue with fancy cords, sizes 6 to 14 years, priced—

\$3.75

Children Pleasers.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

WOMEN'S

and

CHILDREN'S

VELOUR

SLIPPERS

25c

PAIR.

BROWN BROS

We Wish To Call Attention

to our exquisite styles in
Bead Purses and Bags

The styles are quite, unusual. Bought especially for the holiday season.

Leather Bags and Purses, a great variety of styles, an unusually large assortment now.

The reliable kind that give satisfaction.

DROP IN.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.

Special For Tonight And Monday

A handsome and useful souvenir to any lady who makes a purchase at this store, either tonight or Monday.

Our Official Seal Cigar in boxes of 25, regular price \$1.75, special price for tonight and Monday, \$1.25.

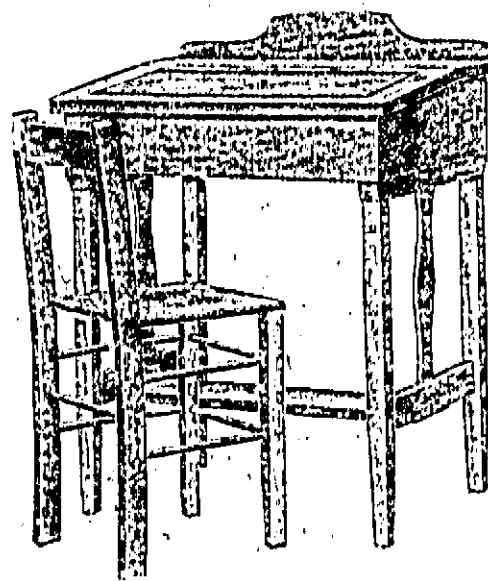
Barr's Famous Saturday Candy, a full pound box, special price tonight and Monday, 29c.

— Rexall Watch, regular value \$1, special price 89c.

Many very acceptable gift things will be found at this store.

Smith's Pharmacy

THE REXALL STORE.
Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.



Mission Desk and Chair \$4.25 Value at \$3.00

In golden oak and early English, suited for children's work and play desk; are made of solid oak and will last for a good long time. Has blackboard top and drawer. As a Christmas gift for children nothing is nicer. Do not confuse this with smaller desks not so well made which usually sell for less.

Frank D. Kimball 22-24 West Milwaukee St.

SKATES

86c and up.

SLEDS

25c to \$3.00.

Pocket Knives

10c to \$3.00.

Gun, Tools, and scores of other dandy presents for lively boys.

SPECIAL—We are selling "Universal" Meat and Food Grinders fast, as useful gifts. 90c, \$1.35, \$1.90.

Frank Douglas 17 and 19 S. River St.

Beginning Tonight, we will offer special inducements to Suit-Buyers. ANY SUIT IN OUR STOCK AT ONE-HALF PRICE. Our styles are all this season's models, our qualities unequalled.

POND & BAILEY

Janesville's Finest Shopping Center.
23-25 W. MILWAUKEE ST.

WATCH US GROW.

Blankets and Comfortables

These come under the head of necessities. What is nicer than a warm, all wool fleecy Blanket. Extra qualities in white, gray or red with pretty borders, also lovely things in popular plaid blankets. Big values are represented in our plaid blankets at \$5.75, bought especially for holiday selling. Made with dainty coverings and we show them filled with either cotton, wool or down. Price range—

\$1.25 to \$9.00

SEE THEM.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS. THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, S. MAIN ST. JANESVILLE, WIS. WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP.

Bring \$5 and Get a Piano For Xmas

Only \$5.00 to begin and the balance in easy payments.

Free Stool, Scarf and One Year's Training.

Special Discount of 20% on all new pianos up to Xmas.

It's worth remembering that Lyle sells only pianos of standard make.

Bauer; Schiller; Smith and Barnes; Cable-Nelson.

A. V. LYLE

Corn Exchange.

Specials At

Bell-toned Out Glass Tumblers, beautiful star pattern, set \$1.37

Special Value—Handsome Out Glass Electric Lamp, elaborate pattern, \$12.00 value, at \$8.97

Spun Brass, 8-inch Fern Dishes, pretty pattern, value \$1.50, at 79c

Genuine Silver Mesh Bags, 6 1/4-in. size, shirred mesh, silk lined, engraved styles, value \$0.00, special.

PYPER'S JEWELRY

Special Sensible Christmas Bargains

Underwear, \$1.00, \$1.25

value 89c

Monarch Shirts, \$1.00, \$1.25

value 89c

Work Gloves and Mitts, \$1.00,

\$1.25 value 89c

Elegant Fleeced Pajamas, \$1,

\$1.25 value 89c

Suit Cases, \$1.00, \$1.25

value 89c

Don't forget Holeproof Hose,

6 pair \$1.50. Guaranteed.

Ladies all say prettiest Neckwear in city... 25c, 50c

Suspenders, specially

boxed 38c, 50c

FORD

ON THE BRIDGE.

NOLAN BROS.

SPECIALS White Lily Flour

High grade fancy patent, every sack guaranteed \$1.40.

Finest eating Potatoes, bu. 40c.

Special extra fancy large mixed nuts 19c lb. 2 for 25c.

Creamery Butter 37c.

10 lb. sack strictly pure Buckwheat 30c.

Sweet Cider per gal. 25c.

1 gal. 'pure' unsweetened 'id' (apple) juice, finest table syrup, 35c.

1/2 gal. pail 20c.

Johnson's bottled cider per bottle 28c.

Ft. Dearborn Brand Mocha & Java Coffee in sealed 1-lb. cans. 40c.

grade which we sell at 35c.

Mallard Brand Mocha & Java Coffee, extra fancy, 35c grade 30c.

Walter Baker's Chocolate, lb. 29c.

Single cake 15c.

23-25 S. River St.

Gold Fish Special Sale

TONIGHT AND MONDAY.
Fancy Gold Fish 10c each.
2 Gold Fish and Globe 25c.

Holly Wreaths

Home made of well berried holly. Everlasting wreaths, Xmas Greens and Novelties.

Potted Plants

In full bloom, tastefully trimmed, at very reasonable prices. Call and see them. We deliver anywhere. Holly for sale by the pound.

Center Street Greenhouses

New Phones White 648.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS. THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, S. MAIN ST. JANESVILLE, WIS. WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP.

EVERY

FUR

COAT

IN

OUR

GREAT

STOCK

20% OFF.

Reflect.

THE ART STORE

Great Specials

Burrows hand-colored Prints in beautiful frames of gold and weathered oak, size 12x15. Many excellent subjects: marines, rural, classic, landscapes, etc. Value \$1.00, at 75c

DIEHLS

OVERCOAT PRICES ARE UNDER- CUT AT ZIEGLER'S

This History Making Adjustment Sale is a Tonic to the Pocket Book.

One of the best Overcoat opportunities ever offered and one of the best you ever in all your days have had the good fortune to partake of, is ready for you now. We have taken from this magnificent stock of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Overcoats the finest Black Kersey and Cheviots, beautifully tailored and trimmed, our splendid coats of fancy materials with combination military or regular style collars and those handsome straight military style collars, stock which is regular at \$35, \$30, \$28 and \$25, these have been reduced to one price, at... **\$19.50**

Any person experienced or not in clothing can determine the extra qualities and values in this offer by simply looking at the stock. "Sizes" for most all men. Our regular stocks of suits and children's clothing are attractively priced, plainly marked—all of them worthy of attention.

Dress Suits complete with Dinner Coat of same material for Xmas. Gift. This is an unusual item for holiday purposes, one much needed by any man and the more appreciated because of that fact. Beautiful Dress Suits in the proper fabrics ready now to wear, **\$30, \$35, \$40 and \$50.**



THESE CLOTHING PRICES SUGGEST HOLIDAY THOUGHT

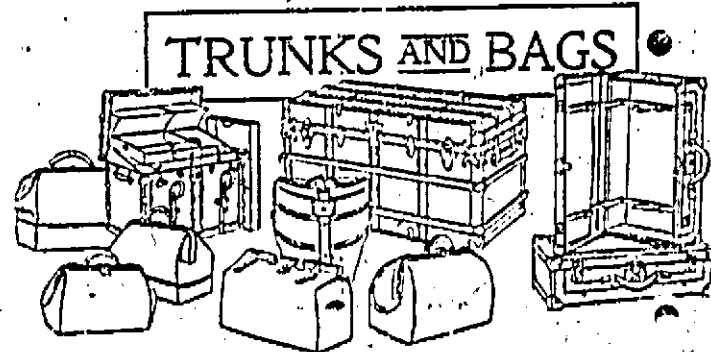
MEN'S BLUE SERGE SUITS, \$18.00, \$16.50, \$15.00 quality, now **\$12.50**
MEN'S BLUE SERGE SUITS, \$20.00 and \$18.00 quality, at **\$15.00**
MEN'S BLUE SERGE SUITS, \$30.00 and \$28.00 quality, at **\$22.50**
MEN'S BLUE SERGE SUITS 25 quality at **\$20.00**
MEN'S FANCY SUITS in cheviots and worsteds, \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15 quality, now **\$10.50**
MEN'S FANCY SUITS in cheviots and worsteds, a large variety of patterns, cut in the very latest styles, \$16.50, \$18.00 and \$20.00 quality, at **\$15.00**

Our Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits
 The newest fall and winter styles and cuts are here. The conservative

styles which appeal to the good dressers are here in abundance, silk mixtures, neat stripes, plain colorings, olive grays, blues, three and four button style, either with neat semi form fitting, or full box back coats. Blue serges and plain black suits also—Young men's suits cut on the very stylish lines with all those little up to date fixings which appeal to the ideas of the present day dresser.

There are suits in the new popular light gray shades, olives, browns, stripes and solid colors; blue serges and solid blacks also.

\$30.00 and \$28.00 quality now **\$25.00**
 \$25.00 qualities, at **\$20.00**
 \$22.50 qualities, at **\$18.00**



Trunks, Valises, Telescopes, Suit Cases and Bags

A reduction of 25% will be made throughout this entire stock. There is not a more representative lot of traveling accessories hereabouts than is shown here. Every one marked plainly as to regular and special selling prices. You can do your own buying throughout this stock—prices will be so plain and arrangement so complete.

LEWIS UNDERWEAR

We have a large stock of sample garments of the Lewis Underwear. Two-piece garments, medium, fall and winter weights, in heavy balbriggans, merinos and wool goods, which will be offered at a reduction of 50% or one-half, from former prices which prevailed.

Heavy balbriggans, full fashioned, regular made \$3 garments, at **\$1.50**
 Heavy merino garments, were \$2, now **\$1**
 Heavy Egyptian cotton garments, were \$2, now **\$1.00**
 Heavy wool garments, were \$5.00, now **\$2.50**

Silktine garments, sold at \$3, now **\$1.50**
 Line of heavy balbriggan Union Suits, \$3 kind, now **\$1.50**. A complete line of sizes.

Every garment in our regular stock will be reduced 25%, or one-fourth off regular prices. The line is complete and people who know what the Lewis line is will not hesitate in securing these splendid offerings.

Christmas Goods For Men Such As These at the Sale Prices Are Like Magic in Drawing Power.

As you enter the store the big show tables are full of beautiful furnishings for Men. Bring this list with you if you prefer.

Laundry Lists for ladies or gentlemen in book form, with neat cover **50c**
 Others elaborately bound with leather and Chinese covers, at **\$1.50**
 Leather Collar Bags trimmed with Chinese covers, at **\$2.50**
 Full fashioned Mufflers, gray, brown, black, navy, 45c
 Alaska Mufflers, all shapes, 75c kind sell at **50c**
 Wilson Bros. Knitted Motor Wraps, various colorings, very new in neck mufflers, \$1.50 grades at **\$1**, \$2.50 grades at **\$2**, \$4 grades at **\$3.25**

Suspender Sets in Xmas boxes, consisting of Suspenders, Arm Bands and Garters to match, large variety of colors, regular at 75c, for **50c**
 Finer grades in Silk Mixed Webs—\$1 grades at **75c**, the \$1.50 grades at **\$1**.
 Suspenders for full dress purposes in proper shades, guaranteed 18K gold mountings, made to sell at \$1.25 and \$1.50, at **\$1.00**
 Fancy Christmas Boxes suitable for suspenders, hose or any small gift, handsome line, each **10c**

Brighton Garters, put up in individual Xmas boxes, each **25c**
 Men's Combination Sets Hose, Tie and Handkerchief to match, at **\$1.35**
 Men's Combination Box Hose and Tie to match, at **95c**
 Your choice of all our Xmas Neckwear—75c grades at **50c**, \$1.00 grades at **85c**, 50c grades at **45c**. Some beautiful ideas in plain and fancy colorings.

Wonderful opportunity to buy Xmas Neckwear.
 Fine Irish Linen Handkerchiefs—75c at **50c**, 50c at **45c**, 35c at **25c**, 25c at **20c**
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J. P. BAKER'S DRUG STORE**WOMAN'S PAGE****The Evening Chit-Chat**

By RUTH CAMERON

DO YOU want to know a little trick that will help to make you popular? Yes, maybe this is the 275th time I've written about popularity. But the desire to be loved and approved by our fellow beings—the desire to be popular—is one of the most fundamental of all the passions, so I think I'd be justified no matter how much I wrote about it.

Were you ever telling a story—perhaps your very best story—when something happened that completely cut you off?

Perhaps a new-comer arrived and had to be introduced all around and by the time this function had been performed your story was completely forgotten.



And do you remember how upset and unjustly deprived and altogether abused you felt when that talk began again on other topics and you realized you had lost the chance to tell your perfectly good story?

Now, wouldn't you have been very grateful to anyone who had the thoughtfulness to remember that you were telling a story and the fact to gracefully refer to it and get you started off again?

Well, anyone else can be made grateful to you in just the same way if you are clever enough to watch out for chances.

The other day I happened to hear a little conversation between a girl who was obsessed of the insane idea of wearing practically the same clothes on a midwinter day as she would in midsummer.

In case there are any girls obsessed with that peculiar habit among my readers or any mothers of girls obsessed with that fact, I'm going to chronicle the gist of that conversation.

"It's an extremely foolish thing to do," said the doctor.

"But, doctor, I'm not cold," said the girl.

"No," said the doctor, "maybe you aren't. But do you know why?"

"Your body is manufacturing heat to protect you. The energy and vitality that ought to go into other things is used up in supplying the warmth that should be supplied by suitable clothing."

Have YOU energy to waste?

Can you perform all the duties that claim you and enjoy all the pleasures that await you and still have a surplus of energy?

If you can do this and have positive information that you will always be able to do it maybe you have energy to throw away keeping your body warm.

Otherwise not.

Next time you see anyone start to rub their eyes—whether it's yourself or someone else—tell them what happened to a girl friend of mine.

I am sure it will be effective for all females if not masculine offenders.

The girl in question carelessly rubbed her eye one day when it itched.

The next day it itched a great deal more, the second day it swelled up and the third it closed up, landing her naturally at the doctor's office.

"An infection in the roots of the eyelashes," he told her. "No danger to the eye, but I'm afraid you'll lose the lashes."

And she did. And what more, she will probably never be able to bring them back.

Now, I'm sure that none of my feminine readers will ever rub their eyes again.

Ruth Cameron

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS.

By MARGARET DRYDEN.

A Suitable Hat Pin Holder.

Three pieces of heavy cardboard, grey suede leather, violet silk, and grey silk cord make up this design. The cardboard should be 12 inches long, three inches wide at the top

the lower leaves, pale lavender for the upper ones and a delicate sage green for the stem and leaves make an especially dainty gift. To do this rather thick leather must be employed and the colored silks applied with paste. Great care must be taken or the result will be messy and anything but pleasing.

cards. The same idea might be employed to make a case for carrying post cards. A gift of this kind having a few cards from the home town will serve as a pleasant reminder to one absent from home.

Embroidery Stitches.

The Wallachian stitch, which has been much used of late, is simply a variation of the oldest stitch of all—the buttonhole stitch. The example shown will be sufficient guide to any one who has not seen the stitch. It is simple and very effective and may be employed to great advantage in heavy cushions. Coarse silk is employed and rapid progress is made. A cushion in black with a few flowers thrown over it in shades of yellow, flushed with a yellow cord and tassels make a handsome gift.

A Stencil Pillow.
The design of four de lils may be enlarged and applied as a stencil to a pillow with good effect. If more than one color is used care must be taken or the result will not be artistic. Oil colors thinned with gasoline will wash and may be employed with thin goods intended for the tub. A black silk or satin pillow with the design in yellow and purple and green would be rather gorgeous and make a fine dash of color. Leather may also be used with the stencil work. If leather is used an outline of black should be added after the stencil is made.

**Cost Costumes**

A beautiful costume was this of dahlia cloth, having a wide collar of shawl. The coat portion was extremely smart and produced an effect of wrapping the figure, which was charmingly graceful. Faintly braided of various widths was used as ornament, and frogs in softness—as was the trimming—closed the front. The sleeves with the scant puff and deep fitted cuff were new and pretty. The skirt was the most popular winter model for walking costumes—having a fitted upper portion and killed flounce.

SOME SUGGESTIVE GAMES FOR CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

By ELEANOR ALLYN.

A white, crystal and silver dinner is a pleasant variety from the usual and green of the usual Christmas festivity. It is not too late to gather leaves that may be sketched and bleached in weak sulphuric acid. After bleaching dip in a solution of gum

arabic and then in diamond dust to make them sparkle. Some may be suspended in a strong solution of silicate of soda to make a snowlike deposit. These are arranged about a crystal mirror for a centerpiece. White avenue such as may be bought at the florist's, filled with white carnations and white leaves, float on this silver lake, bearing in their bosoms the ends of white satin ribbons which extend to the plates and are fastened to the place cards. From the chandelier the silver rain or glitter, that is found at any store where Christmas tree ornaments are sold, may fall in profusion to simulate a fountain. All the tableware should be either cut glass, silver or white china. The effect of white should be carried out in the menu as far as possible. A white soup, a white fish course, meat of the white variety, with potatoes and cauliflower or turnips, a white salad, the dessert of other plumpable ice or vanilla cream, and the cake and bon-bons all white. The souvenirs should be candy boxes simulating snowballs, filled with French creams. Instead of walnuts and raisins serve blanched almonds and crystallized pineapple. The maid should wear white also, and the white and silver idea carried out as far as possible in the decorations of the room.

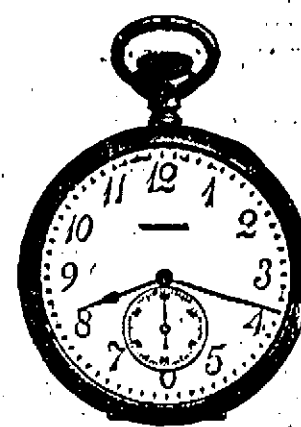
Games for Christmas playing are usually of the old-fashioned variety. Certain rummy plays seem to be sacred to the day of the children's saint. Older people, however, sometimes feel the need of a more restful ending to a rather strenuous day. A game for them may be arranged by cutting out of book catalogues and advertisements all the illustrations of books bearing the title in plain letters. The late magazines are full of new and fascinating titles and the old ones all have a story that will add to the pile. Each player should be furnished with a large sheet of writing paper, a pencil and a tube of paste. Each player draws ten of the book covers, which should be carefully cut out, and with them he endeavors to make a sentence, pasting the covers on the sheet and writing words of his own between. The first one who uses all his ten covers may draw more and go on with the tale until the last one has his sentences completed. The one using the most titles may be awarded the first prize, which should be a late book. The one making the most interesting story may also be awarded a prize, and a little ingenuity at the book store will discover a little pamphlet or booklet suited to the one who wins the book prize. As a sample of the way to weave the titles in here is an example: "The Baby's Record" of my born shows "The Reader" that he was a "Sandy" little chap, always "True to Himself" and ready to "Do and Dare." For him there were more than "Three Speeds Forward" and more than "Four Roads to Paradise," and he tried them all. He spent "Ten Nights in a Bar-room" but has no recollections of a Gold Card Graduate to record. The titles are endless and much personal history will enliven the game.

Work and Happiness.

God intends no man to live in this world without working; but He intends every man to be happy in his work. . . . Now in order that people may be happy in their work, these three things are needed: They must be fit for it, they must not do too much of it, and they must have a sense of success in it.—John Ruskin.

What Grass Widow Means.

No woman need object to be called a "grass widow" on the plea that it is disrespectful. The term is from the French grace, the origin being "grace widow." It is an old and honored expression and means widow by courtesy.

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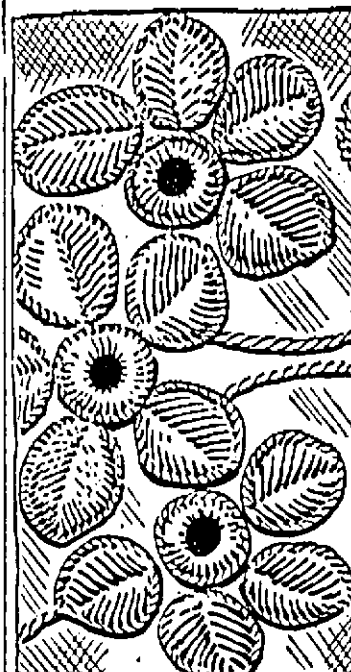
Dated December 15th, 1909. By the Court: J. W. NALL, County Judge.

J. D. McIlwain, Atty. for administrator.

Witness: J. D. McIlwain, Atty. for administrator.

Useless Worries.

It frequently happens that a woman worries a great deal over the question of calling on another woman who doesn't care in the least whether she calls or not.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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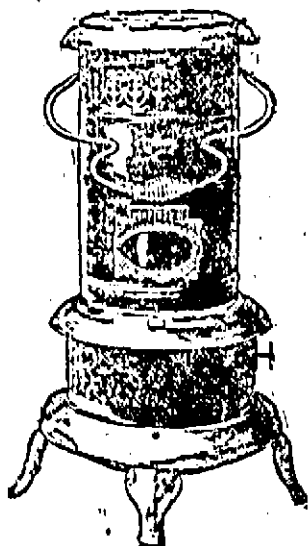
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Lectures nice,
His fine phrases seemed too flat
To express where he was at
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On the ice.

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Earthquake Causes Panic.
Several earthquake shocks have been felt recently in the Congo district, Africa. There have been no casualties, but the natives were panic-stricken. Many of them ran for miles and refused to return to their villages unless they received guns and ammunition. —McClure's.

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By CYRUS TOWNSEND
Illustrations by RAY WALTERS

She was a brave woman. She could face the inevitable with courage, with a philosophy which now at last was Christian. She had had three peaceful years and a day of such happiness as falls to the lot of few of the children of sorrow. Perhaps that was all that she was destined to look back upon for her only consolation. Perhaps she ought to be glad of such an opportunity, indeed. But she was a woman, and by and by she hid her face in her hands and wept.

In all their intercourse he had never seen her weep. Tears were entirely foreign to his experience. He knew what sorrow was, what sadness was, what sympathy was, for his heart had been torn when she had read to him the story of the Man of Sorrows and his sufferings. A child of nature, the pathetic in the Old Testament and the New had appealed to him profoundly, but his were not easy tears. He had never shed any. He had never seen any. He was appalled, therefore, when approaching noiselessly he laid his hand upon her shoulder and saw and heard the evidence of her grief.

He dropped the box to the sod and knelt beside her.

"Has the sight of the ship made you weep?" he said, softly. "I wish that I had never come to tell you it was there!"

"We have been so happy together, you and I," said the woman. "This island has been my world, my haven, my heaven, rather, and you have been humanity to me, but now the earth opens before you. You will have other hopes, other ambitions, perhaps—"

"Don't say it," protested the man, vehemently. "I shall have nothing, nothing but you anywhere, everywhere, and, besides, nothing is changed. See, the smoke grows fainter; the ship more dim. She passes beyond. Things shall be as they were! We shall live on, and love on!"

Her desolation, her sorrow appealed to him profoundly. He took her in his arms. He laid her head gently upon his shoulder. There was protection and tenderness as well as passion in his touch.

"Together," he whispered, patting her hair softly, "alone, you and I!"

For one delicious moment with closed eyes she let herself be so soothed and comforted. But her better nature woke on the instant, as it were.

"No," she said, drawing away from him gently. "It would not be right. We belong in the world of men. Men and women are not men and women until they have lived among their fellows, until they have fought down the temptations of which we know nothing here, and have conquered them—out there. Give me the flint and steel. I must call back the ship!"

He stooped as she spoke and picked up the little silver box. He extended his hand toward her, and then suddenly drew it back.

"You cannot light the beacon," he said.

"Cannot?" she cried.

"No, for I will not give you the flint and steel."

"You must give it to me."

"I will not. I am the stronger, and you cannot take it from me," he returned, with growing firmness.

It was the first time in all their intercourse that he had disobeyed a command. She looked at him amazed, her heart, nevertheless throbbing at the mastery in his tone, at the thought

that he was willing to "throw away" the world for her. It is true he had had no experience of that he was giving up, but he was not entirely ignorant of what lay beyond the horizon, and she had presented it in such a way that it glowed with color and life and charm. The evil, the sordid and the wretched had been lightly alluded to, just definitely enough to shade the picture and bring out the higher lights of civilization. He was not the decision, therefore, of an untutored, inexperienced savage, not the abandonment of a toy by a child; there was some reality in it and the reality measured his affection. Her heart leaped in her breast at that thought. For one fleeting moment she acquiesced. Things would go on in the old way. But things could not go on in the old way. For a day and a night, in spite of the great change that had come to their feelings, life had flowed on as usual, but there was a limit to human power. It was better, whatever better, that they should go back to civilization. The woman stared at him long and earnestly, her lip trembling, her face pale, her eyes shining. They stood speechless at gaze for a moment, and then she spoke.

"You are right," she said, "my power over you has gone. I can no longer command. Mine has ceased to be the supreme will, but I beg you, I entreat you, I pray you, give me the flint and steel. See, on my knees I ask you!"

She sank down before him in an attitude which he knew to be that of prayer. They had often read the sacred Scriptures and had said their prayers together on the sand or beneath the trees since she, too, in the solitude had seen God and believed.

"I cannot, I will not," he answered, hoarsely, stepping nearer to her.

"No," she said, "you must not touch me, you shall not touch me. I shall be to you as a stranger, unless you take me by force, if you will not let me light that beacon."

"No," said the man, doggedly.

"When the world touches our shores it brings you unhappiness. Let it pass."

"Listen!" she said. "I have tried to tell you something about honor, and duty. My honor says that that ship must be called. My duty bids me call her. You said that you love me."

"But I can believe in you without any test."

"I am different. I have been out there. I know what it is. I have seen other men."

She looked steadily at him. He bent closer to her and laid his hand upon her shoulder, not this time in earnest. She winced from the lightness of his grasp, the force, intensity of his clutch, yet she did not draw away, and he was not conscious of the force he used.

"You have seen other men. They have loved you?"

"Yes," she forced herself to reply. "And you?"

"I have loved no man but you."

"You had something to tell me. You were to tell me to-day."

"Yes."

"Was it about some other man?"

"Yes."

"What was it?"

"I will tell you when we have gone back where men and women live."

"Why not now?"

"You must hear the voice of the world in comment upon what I say."

"But if I do not go back?"

"There will be a secret between us which I will carry to my grave. It would be fatal to our happiness. You see we must call back the ship. Give me the flint and steel, for God's sake, if you love me, man!"

She had never adored him in that fashion before. He stood irresolute a moment and dropped the box at her feet. She had conquered, conquered by appealing to his love for her. Nothing else, she felt, would have moved him.

Eagerly she opened the silver box and took thence the tiny implements. Fortunately they were in the heart of the dry season. To strike a spark was easy, to communicate it to the tinderlike brushwood was easier still. In a moment, catching the inflammable wood dried out by the tropic sun, the flames roared through the great mass. The cliff or peak at the top of the island made a background for the flame, and soon a pillar of fire 20 or 30 feet high leaped and curled up into the still air of the morning.

The woman beckoned. The two ran around the peak of the rock until they were sheltered from the fierce heat of the fire. From where they stood they could see the ship.

"Do you think," asked the man, "that the people on the ship will see the flame?"

"They cannot fail to see it."

"And how will they regard it?"

"As a signal."

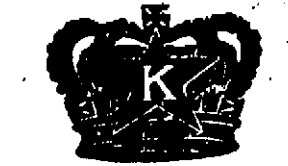
"And what will they do?"

"Turn about and head for the island."

"And how can we tell what they are doing?"

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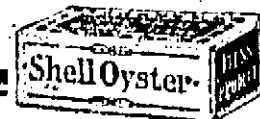
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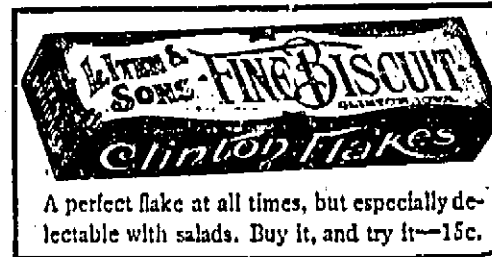
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HELD AS BIGAMIST "BUSINESS" IS EXCUSE

Iowa Merchant Brought Back to Jail Charged with Having Two Wives.

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 18.—On a requisition issued by Gov. Deneen on Gov. Carroll of Iowa, Joseph Berghin, a Burlington (Ia.) business man was brought to this city to answer the charge of bigamy. Berghin was recently married to Miss Olive Lord of Plainfield, Ill., formerly of Aurora, Ill.

The prisoner represented to his young wife that he had business interests which necessitated his being on the road and particularly in Burlington, Ia. He left his bride on the day after their marriage for several weeks and returned at intervals giving plausible business as the reason. Investigation proved that Berghin was living with his first wife and two children. It has developed that Berghin married the first wife in La Crosse, Wis., but they separated. Berghin then appeared in Deloit, Ill., and courted a well-known young woman of that city and married her. She, however, died shortly after hearing that Berghin had a wife and family residing in La Crosse. Miss Lord was a friend of second Mrs. Berghin and to her Berghin paid court. They were married after several months' courtship in Aurora.

Berghin was held in \$5,000 bond.

A. F. OF L. RAILROADERS MEET.

Will Advise and Co-operate with Striking Switchmen.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 18.—Pursuant to the call of Chairman H. B. Perham, the railroad employees' department of the American Federation of Labor met here today in special session. This meeting takes the place of the one set for next month by the federation meeting at Toronto, and Chairman Perham said the change of date was occasioned by the switchmen's strike. The department, which has a total strength of nearly 600,000 men, will advise and co-operate with the switchmen, and it is understood that it will prepare itself for action in case a general railway strike should result.

The organizations of which the department is composed are the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths, the Brotherhood of Shipbuilders and the International Association of Machinists, the International Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees, Brotherhood of Freight Handlers, Order of Railroad Telegraphers, Brotherhood of Railway

CLARK'S International Association of Steam, Hot Water and Power Pipe Fitters, and the Switchmen's union.

MEN ON 32 ROADS ASK ADVANCE.
Labor Leaders Believe Vote Favors Asking Increase in Wages.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Preliminary estimates of the vote of the employees of 32 eastern railroads on the question of asking for an advance in wages made by labor leaders were in favor of asking for an increase.

President W. G. Lee of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen came to Chicago from Cleveland and A. B. Garretson, president of the Order of Railway Conductors, from Cedar Rapids, Ia.

As soon as the men on the 32 roads affected had cast their votes Lee and Garretson came to Chicago to have the official count taken and carry on any negotiations which may be necessary from this city.

It was learned that, while the count has not been completed, there is no doubt but what the final showing will be in favor of asking the railroads to raise wages of the members of the four great brotherhoods of firemen, engineers, conductors and railroad trainmen.

The advertisements will suggest what to give as gifts.

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Chicago via Beloit—C. & N. W. Ry.—	7:00 p. m. From Chicago via Beloit, 5:50, 10:35, 11:35, a. m.; 6:30 p. m., 14:18, 12:12, p. m.
Chicago via Davis Jct.—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—	7:20, 9:00, 11:15, a. m.; 5:30, p. m. Returning, 10:15, a. m.; 12:55, 5:25, 8:45, p. m.
Chicago via Walworth—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—	7:20, 10:35, a. m.; 5:25, 10:30, p. m. Returning, 10:25, 10:35, a. m.; 7:12, 8:50, p. m.
Madison, Edgerton, Stoughton and Points north and west—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—	7:50, 10:35, a. m.; 7:17, 2:40, 8:50, p. m. Returning, 7:15, 10:25, 11:15, a. m.; 5:15, 7:15, p. m.
Madison, Evansville and points north—C. & N. W. Ry.—	12:20, 12:30, 6:00, 11:35, a. m.; 4:18, 6:50, 9:20, 8:50, 11:15, 12:15, p. m. Returning, 4:20, 4:25, 6:55, 7:40, 9:35, a. m.; 3:00, 5:25, 6:35, p. m.
Milwaukee via Jefferson Jct.—C. & N. W. Ry.—	7:50, a. m.; 12:45, p. m. Returning, 7:50, a. m.; 12:35, 8:45, a. m.; 4:45, p. m. Returning, 10:10, Milwaukee, Whitewater and Waukesha C. M. & St. P. Ry.—
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Broadhead, Monroe, Mineral Point and Plattville—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—	10:35, a. m.; 7:20, p. m. Returning 10:15, a. m.; 4:30, p. m.
Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere and De Kalb—C. M. & N. W. Ry.—	7:50, a. m.; 12:45, p. m. Returning, 7:50, a. m.; 12:35, 8:45, p. m.
Chicago, O. & N. W. Ry.—	7:50, a. m.; 12:45, p. m. Returning, 7:50, a. m.; 12:35, 8:45, p. m.
Waterloo—C. & N. W. Ry.—	6:50, 7:50, a. m.; 12:45, 8:15, p. m. Returning, 7:50, a. m.; 12:35, 3:00, 8:45, p. m.
Afton, Hanover, Footville—C. & N. W. Ry.—	11:05, a. m. Returning 3:40 p. m.
Delavan, Racine, Freeport and Rock Island—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—	11:15, a. m. Returning, 1:00, 7:12 p. m.
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Rules for Life's Journey.
The best preparation for the future in the present well seen to, the last duty well done.—George MacDonald.

KING LEOPOLD'S WILL IS FILED

LEOPOLD PRACTICALLY DISINHERITS HIS THREE CHILDREN.

\$1,000,000 TO EACH CHILD

Monarch's Vast Fortune Left Almost Entirely to Marguerite Spouse—She Is Likely to Be Driven Out of Belgium.

Brussels, Dec. 18.—King Leopold practically disinherited his three daughters, Princesses Louise, Stephanie and Clementine, as his will filed shows he divided but \$3,000,000 between them. There will undoubtedly be a big legal fight to obtain the king's wealth for his children, such as was made at the time of the death of their mother, Queen Henrietta. The exact magnitude of Leopold's wealth will probably never be known.

Senator Viner, the king's friend and confidential legal adviser, said that Leopold turned over a considerable portion of it to the Baroness Vaughan and her children, and created a stock company of his estates in order to forestall a possible raid upon them by the Princesses Louise and Stephanie or their creditors.

No Contest for Throne. Investigation shows that the rights of succession to the throne of a child of the king by the Baroness Vaughan is not worthy of serious attention. If it is established that the Baroness Vaughan is of foreign birth she probably will be expelled from Belgium.

The entire kingdom of Belgium mourns its departed ruler, Leopold II. Courts, schools and theaters are closed, parliament and the municipal council have adjourned and flags are at half-mast in every city town and village of the kingdom out of respect for the dead monarch. Under the constitution the affairs of the nation are in the control of the cabinet until Prince Albert takes the oath of succession next Thursday, the day after the funeral of his uncle, before the joint houses of parliament in the senate chamber.

King's Career Praised. An official decree issued lauds King Leopold's career and declares his creation of the Congo independent state was an act unique in history. "Posterity will judge Leopold a great king with a grand reign," it says.

The body of Leopold remains in the mortuary chamber of "The Pameux." Tonight it will be removed to the palace in Brussels. The face of the dead ruler will not be exposed again to public view.

King Leopold's death, it was announced by Dr. De Page, was due to embolism, a small blood clot probably being carried to the heart.

President Taft Sends Condolences. Washington, Dec. 18.—As a mark of respect to the dead king of Belgium President Taft called in person at the Belgian legation and left his card for the minister of that country. The president has sent through the United States embassy in Brussels a telegram of condolence on the death of the king of the Belgians.

Blame Leopold for Barbarities. London, Dec. 18.—It is thought here that the death of King Leopold can have little effect upon the political situation of Europe.

All comment here lays at Leopold's door the responsibility for the barbarities committed in the Congo, and it is believed that his removal will be followed by new methods of administration in that colony.

Countess Lonyay has telegraphed for her husband to join her here. Princess Louise also is en route, although Princess Stephanie has used every influence to keep her away. It is expected that Princess Louise will create a scandal, but the government has caused her lawyer to be notified that she will be put across the frontier if she exceeds her legal rights.

Neither Baroness Vaughan nor Princess Louise have anything to lose by notoriety and a public quarrel between them would be a boisterous funeral oration for Leopold.

It is believed the new king will make considerable financial sacrifices to buy off his predecessor's two errant daughters because the litigation which Princess Louise threatens would harm the dynasty.

JUMPS TO AVOID WRECK; DIES.

Fireman Falls to Save Life—Two Others Are Injured.

Elgin, Ill., Dec. 18.—Rear-end collision of two Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul freight trains at Pingree Grove, 15 miles west of Elgin, resulted in the death of one trainman and injuries to two passengers.

Paul Stott, Genoa, Ill., fireman on an east-bound extra freight, jumped from the cab when he saw a wreck was inevitable. His head struck a rail and he died instantly.

The injured are: H. J. Maloby, What Cheer, Ill.; J. M. Henson, Elgin, Ill.

The two injured passengers were riding in the caboose of an east-bound way freight.

Princess De Bagan Wins.

Paris, Dec. 18.—The court decided in favor of the Princess de Bagan in the suit instituted by her former husband, Count Bond de Castellane, who sought an order compelling the defendant to appoint a tutor for the youngest of their three sons, Jay, acceptable to the father. Castellane was condemned to pay the costs.

No Place for a Plenic.

A Siamese jungle is described as a forest of fish hooks and knives laced together with barbed wire.



THE BASEBALL SPIKE AND ITS GREATEST EXPONENT. Showing bottom of baseball shoe and Try Cobb, the player whose base running has done much to stir up the agitation against the spike.

This is one of the subjects that may come up when National and American league baseball magnates get together in New York Tuesday, for there is no phase of the diamond game that has aroused as much comment during the past two years which has caused as much comment. Since the close of the last playing season there has been a little let up in the noise however, the argument over the National league presidency and the discussion of the possibilities of lessening the dangers of football coming up as furnishing of fall and early winter games.

But you remember the noise that was made over the death-dealing spikes late in the playing season, when Ty Cobb dug the steel into Third Base.

Man have also been made to do away with spikes altogether, and find some substitute, such as the cleats used in football.

But when all is said and done where can you find a substitute for the spikes? Surely not football cleats. It is a practice among ball players to file their spikes making them as sharp as possible. Now this is not done with the intention of intimidating any player or of cutting an opposition player. It is done for the player's own interest in the development of speed and to reserve his feet. The sharper the spikes the less resistance there is when it is dug into the ground. And this is just why football cleats would not work in baseball. The leather cannot be brought to an edge at which it will not offer resistance to the turf.

Now what would happen to a baseball team wearing the leather cleats? In case of two months every player would be so stowed up that the baselines would be larger than should the spikes be permitted. Instead of "cold feet," the popular malady would be "sore feet."

What is true of the football cleat also applies to the rubber knobs or anything else that might be suggested. Take away the spikes and baseball would be robbed of many of its most brilliant features. Day ruling would be reduced to a minimum while sensational fielding would be a thing of the past. Plays that are now possible

through a quick start gained by spikes would never be pulled off.

Baseball without spikes would be a failure. That if the spikes are to be retained, that is the remedy? Surely not the head first slide for under such conditions the runner would now be placed in a worse position than the baseman. As now, the defensive player would block off a man with his knee without danger to himself and where there is now an occasion cutting, broken neck, collar bones and such injuries would be common.

The spike is a big problem in baseball, but there is little chance to tamper with the steel and its use. It will take a wise man indeed to devise a rule that will fulfill the purpose for which it is intended, namely of protecting players without spoiling the game.

Sleighing All the Year.

Because of the lichens which grow abundantly on the stone-paved streets in Madeira, making them slippery, it is possible to use sleighs the year around.

A Theory.

City Man—I wonder if Adam had any regrets when he left the Garden of Eden?

Urbanite—It's a safe bet he didn't if he tried to raise his own vegetables.

Best Way to Tie Shoe-Laces.

A way to loop shoe-laces (that is to make a bow in the ordinary way, then insert a buttonhook underneath the center of the bow and draw one loop and one end through (underneath), thus turning the bow practically upside down. Or draw one loop through the other and pull the "answering" end, so that the loops are knotted.

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An orphan girl, who quit the common school in the eighth grade and worked out some time, took our shorthand course and graduated in a few months. Today she is earning \$75 a month with a Chicago firm.

Another young lady took our shorthand course, working for her board in the meantime. She is now Principal of the Shorthand Department in a College in the South, although not yet 21 years old.

We found a young man piling lumber at \$1 a day. In 9 months he finished our Combined Course in Bookkeeping and Shorthand and is today earning \$18 a week with a large house in another city.

Another young man called to see us, who had been working in a wagon factory. He completed our business course in 5 months and today is drawing a salary of \$20 a week and expenses, after only a few months' experience.

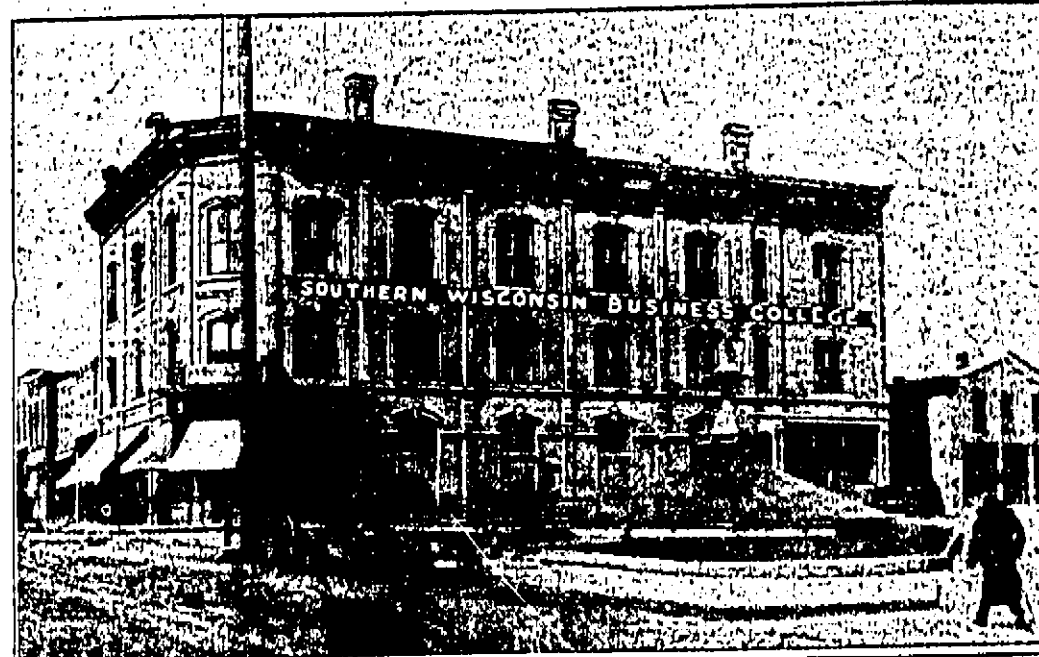
One of our young men after completing a full course in our Business and Stenographic departments secured a good position at \$90 a month with a large real-estate and insurance firm in the west. Recently he qualified for a position as Court Reporter paying \$4,000 a year.

Dozens of public school teachers in the past few years have decided to leave off teaching, and secure a business education. Every one of them secured positions at a higher initial salary than they ever received after years of teaching.

We could mention hundreds of instances if space would permit. Enough has been said to prove that a Business Education can be gotten in a shorter time, will cost less, and in the end pay a bigger salary and afford easier and better opportunities than any other kind of education.

But your success is going to depend in a large measure on the kind of business education you secure. There are many schools advertising extensive business courses which are wholly impractical, and a student after completing such a course finds himself unable to hold any

position of responsibility. Numerous graduates of other business schools have taken courses with us, because they found themselves unable to hold good positions.



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Our other subjects of Penmanship, Spelling, Business Law, Correspondence, Rapid Calculation, Typewriting, Model Office Practice, etc., are equally modern in every detail.

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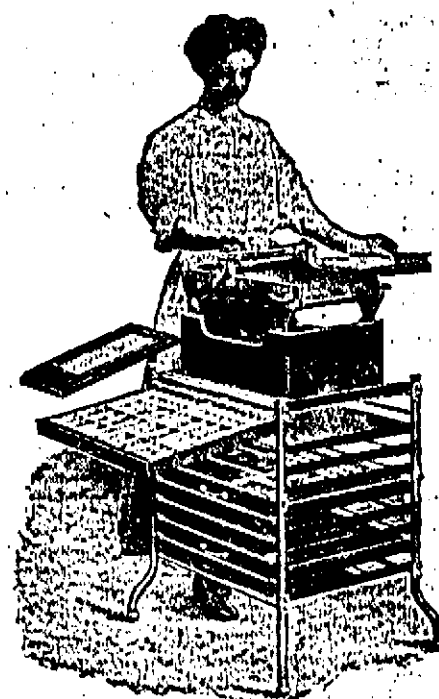
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